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Deaths.

ARMSTRONG.—June 2, at Thirlmere, Jack Armstrong, late of George-street North, aged 40 years.

BARTLETT.—June 18, at his son's residence, 35 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, the dearly beloved husband of Sarah Anstan, in his 85th year, late of Pitt-street, Haymarket, an old colonist of nearly 50 years.

BURTON.—June 16, at his late residence, Woodside, Wheatsheaf, Stephen John Dunston, of enteritis, aged 61 years.

BALLACE.—At her residence, Shalimar, 5 Grafton-street, Bondi, Pauline Durlace, in her 20th year.

BRIDGE.—June 18, at his residence, Sutherland, Edward Bridge, in his 66th year.

BOOTH.—June 19, 1897, at her residence, No. 11 Buckland-street, Alexandria, Fannie Louisa, dearly beloved wife of Alfred Lofts, aged 30 years.

BOOTH.—June 19, 1897, at her residence, No. 11 Buckland-street, Alexandria, Fannie Louisa, dearly beloved daughter of Mr. and Mrs. T. F. Taylor, aged 30 years.

BOOTH.—June 19, 1897, at her residence, No. 11 Buckland-street, Alexandria, Fannie Louisa, dearly beloved eldest of Charles, Frederick, and Carrie Taylor, aged 30 years.

O'DONNELL.—June 15, at No. 10 Bellevue-street, Surry Hills, James O'Donnell, son of the late J. O'Donnell (H.M. Customs), aged 23 years.

RIGG.—June 18, at Hawthorn, 29 Hereford-street, Forest Lodge, Thomas Stephen Joseph Rigg, M.A., master mariner, third and only surviving son of the late Mr. James Rigg, Cumberland, England, aged 41 years.

TAYLOR.—June 19, 1898, at the Courthouse Hotel, Oatley, Sarah Duncan, dearly beloved wife of Henry Roland Wiseman, and fourth and dearest child, David Taylor (suddenly), aged 37 years.

WISEMAN.—June 18, at Manly, Violet Georgie Wiseman, dearly beloved wife of Henry Roland Wiseman, of Spring Vale, Wingen, and eldest daughter of Mr. George Hall, of Cranfield, aged 23 years.

In Memoriam.

BYTON.—In loving remembrance of Susan Lucy Fitton, who died June 20, 1897. Gone, but not forgotten. Inserted by her loving parents, brothers, and sisters.

BARR.—In loving memory of Alfred Ernest Hare, who departed this life, at Thirlmere Home, June 20th, 1897, aged 20 years. Inserted by his loving brothers and sister-in-law, Fred, George, and Mary Barr.

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BARR.—In loving remembrance of our brother, Alfred Ernest, who departed this life 20th June, 1897. Inserted by his loving sisters and brother, Charlotte, Marian, and Arthur.

KENNEDY.—In fond memory of our beloved daughter Margaret (Maggie), who died June 19, 1897, aged 5 years; also our beloved infant son Patrick T. H., who died April 5, 1897, aged 8 months. Inserted by their loving parents, John and Annie Kennedy. At rest.

LAND.—In fond and loving memory of Joseph Land, who passed away on 20th June, 1897. Inserted by his loving wife and children.

MURPHY.—In fond and loving remembrance of John F. Murphy, who died June 19, 1896. At rest. Inserted by his loving wife and family.

WORNER.—In loving remembrance of my dear husband, John Frederick Worner, who departed this life June 19th, 1897, at Auburn. Inserted by his loving wife and children.

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ADELAIDE WALLAROO PORT PIRIE PORT AUGUSTA	Peregrine, Saturday, June 25, 2 p.m.
BUNBURY FREMANTLE GERALDTON	Peregrine, Saturday, June 25, 2 p.m. Taking passengers and cargo for the S.S. Buninyong, leaving Melbourne Tuesday, June 28.
BRISBANE MARYBOROUGH, ROCKHAMPTON	Burwah, To-morrow, Tues., 5 p.m. Leura, Saturday, June 25, 3 p.m. Barrabool, Tuesday, June 28, 5 p.m.
SUNDERBERG MACKAY TOWNSVILLE LUCINDA POINT GERALDTON CAIRNS, &c., &c.	Leura, Saturday, June 25, 3 p.m. Konoowarra, Sat., July 2, 3 p.m.

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SPECIAL TRAIN for first and second class passengers will leave Sydney at 1.55 p.m for Rockdale, returning from Rockdale after the races, and Trams will connect with same from and to Rockdale Station.
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H. M'LACHLAN, Secretary.

Office of the Railway Commissioners of New South Wales.
Sydney, 18th June, 1898.

TENDERS for the undermentioned SUPPLIES, WORKS, &c., will be received at the Railway Commissioners' Office, Bridge-street, Sydney, until 12 o'clock noon on the dates specified:—
MONDAY, 20th JUNE.
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PONY AND GALLOWAY MEETING.
THIS DAY, JUNE 20.
FIRST RACE STARTS at 2 p.m., LAST 4.30 p.m.
TRAINS TO CANTERBURY:
Specials, 1.3, and 1.20 p.m.
Ordinary, 12.30 and 2.20 p.m.
W. L. DAVIS,
General Manager and Secretary.
Office, 126 Pitt-street.

Stock, Shares, and Money.

MONEY AVAILABLE, £30,000.
IN LARGE and SMALL SUMS, 4½ PER CENT.
CAUTION TO BORROWERS.—DON'T PAY HIGH RATE OF INTEREST. Call on this gentleman, who will Lend you Money on Furniture, Dairy Stock, or any Security, without Registration, in any part of the colony: on Farms or Other Property for 5 or 10 years. Don't pay banks 8 or 10 per cent. any longer.
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To those who are harassed by MONEY LENDERS.
WHY PAY HIGH RATES OF INTEREST?
Mr. G. HAYWOOD will lend you small or large sums, WITH OR WITHOUT SECURITY, AT ONCE, on easy terms. All business strictly private.
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I lend money to any respectable person on Furniture or any security, without pos. NO LOAN OFFICE TACTICS. Loans completed in 2 hours. If you study your own convenience you will see me before going elsewhere. I LEND MY OWN MONEY. OFFICE HOURS, 9 A.M. TO 9 P.M.
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Large or Small Sums advanced to either LADIES or GENTLEMEN on DEEDS, PRO NOTES, or ANY OTHER SECURITY, repayable by instalments or otherwise.
All applications promptly and privately dealt with.
No preliminary fees or delay.

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MONEY.—Large Sums for investment on freehold at 4 per cent. H. C. G. Moss, 106 Pitt-st.

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TRUST FUNDS to LEND at 4 Peb CENT. James Carroll, 10 Hunter-st.

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MONEY LENT privately on Furniture, Jewellery, and any sec. P. M. Cohen, 88 Eliz.-st., near Hunter-st.

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WHILE YOU WAIT.
WEST'S PATENT TIRE-SETTER,
corner Hay and Dixon streets,
Haymarket, Sydney.
SPECIAL TERMS TO COACHBUILDERS.

A GOOD Assortment of Ladies' PHAETONS, single and double seated Buggies, Horse and Pony bushes; Village, Spring, and Butchers' Carts; Express and Hawkers' Waggons, Harnesses, Saddlery, &c., always on hand; new or second-hand, at lowest possible prices for cash only.
M'NAMARA, 187 Castlereagh-street.

A DRAIN, TYRRELL, and CO., Coach and Buggy Builders, 231 Castlereagh-street. Repairs of every description executed. Only first-class workmen employed. Substitutes Lent. Vehicles and Harness for Sale.

CHESTNUT Horse, suit any kind of light harness, £3; Brown Horse, 6 years, suit bread cart or cab; good active Van Horse, 16 hands, 5 years, stand any trial. 27 St. David's-road, Dobroyde, Ashfield.

MINIATURE Pony TURNOUT, smartest in Sydney; also Saddle, leather trim. Jewellery, Above to order. 167 Albion-st., S.H.

FOR SALE, Grey Buggy or Waggonette, 4 seats, team trial, good mover, chp. Apply stables, 27 Lower George-st.

NICE Piano-box Buggy and Harness, with hood, £7; also Dealer's Van, cheap. 2 Union-st., Erskineville.

VERY handsome Pony, 5 years, small Phaeton or Sulky, g. trot., £15, no deal. Curran, 95 Sutherland-st., Paddington.

GOOD Horse, 8cs; young Black Horse, stands, sound, trial, no further use, sacrifice. 379 Bourke-st., Wo'loo.

STYLISH MARE, 4 years, Single, Double Harness, suit traveller's buggy, say trial. 90 John-st., Pyrmont.

MOORE and SONS.—Choice Sulkies, the Pony stylish, 180gs. Reversible, new p. Bent-shafts. 16 Flinders-st.

GOOD Black PONY, suit buggy or sulky, ther. broken Gr in, say trial. 28 Westmorland-t.-st., Forest Lodge.

HANDSOME Bay MARE, Dexter Buggy, set Hill's Harness, good hot, chp. Cook's, 139 Cr'eagh-st.

BENT-SHAFT SULKY, fast 14hd. Pony, new Reg. Bar., chp. Cook's, 139 Castlereagh-st. Tel., 3051.

BENT-SHAFT Ind. Grey PONY, prizetaker, and extra fast, with Bent-shaft Sulky and Har. Sale. 139 Cr'eagh-st.

SULKIES, Buggies, Dogcarts, Park Phaetons, first-class assortment, sale or ex. Cook's, 139 Creagh-st.

HOODED SULKIES, straight and bent shafts, sup. Slide-seat Pony Sulky, chp. Cook's, 83 High-st.

FOR SALE, Pony SULKY, nearly new, cheap. Mr. Smith's Glengarry Castle Hotel, Abercrombie-st.

HANDSOME 14-h. Bay Pony, Hooded Sulky, Har.; 2 English Oulander Saddles, hood; Furniture Van, 17-h. Gelding, Har.; Village Cart, H. R. Phaeton, D. S. Buggy, Box Milk Carts, 8 Sulkies. Tel., 9447. 622 Geo.-st.

WAR, WAR, WAR.—Prices of present large stock of American Buggies will not be affected by the war. A few Concords, Phaetons, Pt. Buckhoards, Pony Carts, Waggons, &c., at old prices. Kearsy Bros., 289 Pitt-st.

WANTED, a Buggy MODEL, trial necessary. J. E. Magney, 4 second floor F.-C.-chambers, 115 Pitt-st.

WANTED to Hire, Horse and Cart or small Van, with option Purchase. J. Brown, 17 Short-st., S. H.

Wanted to Purchase.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING BUYERS.
Knowing their great cost we are prepared to give their full value. Letters and appointments punctually attended to.
Mr. or Miss BENJAMIN,
Elizabeth and Goulburn streets.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING PURCHASED TO ANY AMOUNT.—Mr. and Mrs. ROSENTHAL, having a large demand for Left-off Clothing, will positively pay the highest prices obtainable. Portmanteaus, Trunks, Rugs, Bed and Table Linen, Plateware, Old Gold, and Articles of every description bought. Letters attended to by
Mr. and Mrs. ROSENTHAL,
114, 116 Bathurst-street, city.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING BUYERS.
In Large or Small Quantities, Wanted, for Export. The Original Mr. and Mrs. WOOLF have unlimited commission for Ladies' and Gents.' LEFT-OFF CLOTHING, and also supply Boots and Clothes. Letters and appointments (distance no object) punctually attended to by
Mr. or Mrs. WOOLF,
112 BATHURST-STREET.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING.
Mr. and Miss M. MITCHELL have a great demand for all kinds LEFT-OFF CLOTHING, and also supply other colonies. Can give more than any other dealers. Ladies changing for mourning. Old Teeth, Jewellery, Portmanteaus, Bed and Table Linen, Furniture, &c. Letters and Parcels attended. Address 145 and 147 Bathurst-st., city.

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Mr. and Mrs. BARNETT give Extreme Value for Left-off Clothing. Families changing for mourning. Bed, Table Linen, Rugs, Portmanteaus, Old Gold, Jewellery, and Articles of every description bought. Letters punc. attended. Mrs. and Mrs. Barnett, 124 Bathurst-st.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING of every description Bought to any amount. Artistic Teeth, Old Jewellery, Gold, Silver, Plate, Rugs, Letters and parcels attended. Mr. and Mrs. ROBERTS, 67 George-street West.

LEFT-OFF Clothing Buyer to the amount of £3000 for Genuine Export to W. Scott returned, the original Mrs. SAYERS, late of Bathurst-street. Ladies, please write. 89 Liverpool-street, city. Established 1868.

WANTED to Purchase, Ladies' and Gent.'s Left-off Clothing, &c. price. Write Mrs. Sorenson, 139 Pitt-st.

WANTED to Buy, at once, for cash, New or Second-hand TRUNK-MAKING MACHINERY.
Apply Palmer, Box 135, G.P.O.

LEFT-OFF CLOTHING, Jewellery, Plate, Sundries Bought. Mr. or Mrs. Stubbins, 69 George-st. W.

TICKETS BOUGHT, SOLD, or EXCHANGED. FULL VALUE GIVEN FOR ALL TICKETS. INTERCOLONIAL TOURIST AGENCY, 108 PITT-STREET, OPPOSITE G.P.O.

TICKETS (PASSENGER) TICKETS.
ALL PARTS, BOUGHT OR EXCHANGED.
HIGH PRICE. FULL FACE VALUE GIVEN.
125 KING-STREET, FIRKINS'S Agency, nr. G. Tart's.

STAMPS.—SMYTH and NICOLLE, 14 Hunter-st. Buy Old and Current Australians. Highest prices paid.

STAMPS, stamps.—Old Australian Stamps Bought, best prices given. Fred. Hagen, 76 Elizabeth-st., Sydney.

SECOND-HAND CLOTHES BOUGHT, good prices. Write for Mrs. Sorenson, 139 Bathurst-st.

LAUNDRYMEN'S STOVE, 25 to 30 irons, A1 condition. Quote price to Laundry, Herald Office.

FAT (KITCHEN) Bought, or Soap Exchanged, part by appointment. Marlins, 109 George-st., Erskineville.

WE Buy for Spot Cash, no delay, Furniture, Pianos, Sewing Machines. Brown, 41 Broadway, Glebe.

WANTED, 50 to 100 tons pure RED CLAY. Purchasers to 2 miles Mair and Co., 58 Margaret-st., Syd.

WANTED, 2 ladies' TICKETS for Fremantle, steerage. Apply 125 Forest-st., Surry Hills.

CASH Purchases Furniture, Pianos, S. Machines, Gas Stoves, Vehicles, Men. Hillett and Co., 320 George-st.

Poultry, Dogs, &c.

PROM Muscovy DRAKE and 3 Ducks for breeding, price 25s. M. Bradley, Gore Hill, St. Leonards.

LYCEUM THEATRE.

Under the direction of Messrs. J. and C. MacMahon.
POSITIVELY THE LAST NIGHT
POSITIVELY THE LAST NIGHT
of
THE SEA OF ICE
(the grand play of M.M. D'Ennery and Dugue).
SPECIAL NOTICE.—The Lyceum will be closed after To-night's performance to admit of the rehearsals and elaborate preparations for the great production on SATURDAY EVENING NEXT
of
INDIANA,
OR A WOMAN'S VENGEANCE.
Plan at Nicholson's.

POLYTECHNIC.
THE CROWN STUDIOS' CINEMATOGRAPH AND RONTGEN X RAY EXHIBITION,
62 King-street, opposite Arcade.
MANY OF OUR VIEWS ARE MASTERPIECES IN THE ART OF CINEMATOGRAPHY.
"DURING THE WINTER HOLIDAYS" there is no better place in Sydney to TAKE THE CHILDREN
THAN THE POLYTECHNIC.
THIRTY ANIMATED VIEWS.
RONTGEN'S X RAYS, THE KHOMSKOP, and many other scientific attractions, make an enjoyable
AFTERNOON or EVENING ENTERTAINMENT.
Open, 11, 12 o'clock, 2, 3, 4, 5, 7, 8, and 9 p.m.
ADMISSION, 1s; CHILDREN, HALF-PRICE.
Local and Foreign Films for Sale.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

"A ROYAL DIVORCE" MATINEE
on
WEDNESDAY AFTERNOON NEXT, JUNE 22.
Children Half-price to all parts. Box Plan open.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

Sole Lessees and Managers,
Messrs. WILLIAMSON and MUSGROVE.
Bus. Manager, Geo. L. Goodman. Treas., J. B. Moutrie.
EVERY EVENING, at 8. | WEDNESDAY MATINEES, at 2.
LAST NIGHTS
and
FAREWELL PERFORMANCES
of Messrs. Williamson and Musgrove's Famous
"SIGN OF THE CROSS" Company.
A
LARGE and ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING
assembled on Saturday night last to witness the revival of the Romantic Military Spectacle,
A ROYAL DIVORCE,
and recorded a unanimous verdict that this interesting Dramatic Story of the Napoleonic Epoch is
A GREATER SUCCESS THAN EVER,
while the
GRAND REALISTIC TABLEAUX
were received with the greatest enthusiasm, and the curtain had to be raised over and over again in response to the vociferous plaudits. Notwithstanding that the reproduction was a most brilliant success, the Directors beg to call attention to the fact that it can only be staged for
A LIMITED NUMBER OF NIGHTS.
THIS MONDAY, JUNE 20th,
at 8 o'clock,
A ROYAL DIVORCE,
in 5 Acts and 4 Tableaux, by W. G. WILLS,
and acted by the following
EXCEPTIONALLY POWERFUL CAST,
including
Mr. JULIUS KNIGHT ... as ... NAPOLEON
Miss ADA FERRAR ... as ... JOSEPHINE
Messrs. MERVALE, HAWTREY, CARVILL, KNIGHTLEY, HILL, GLASSFORD, ATHOLWOOD, ROSEVEAR, GRIFFITHS, HERRON, GRANT, FERNSIDE.
Mesdames PAGE, RAYMOND, MORTYNE, MURET, VAUGHAN, CUBITT, Little RUBY PHILLIPS.
The piece will be illustrated by the
BEAUTIFUL and STRIKING STAGE PICTURES:—
1. THE RETREAT FROM MOSCOW.
2. WATERLOO.
The Charge—Napoleon's Final Effort.
The Rout—"Up, Guards, and at 'em!"
3. AT ST. HELENA—ALONE.
Incidental to the 3rd Act,
the Quadrille DES JOLIES CRI-CRIS,
Arranged by
Misses Hilles, Ascoli, Cobb, Browne, Jardine, and Casellis,
and "The Little Corporal," sung by Mr. Rosevear.
THE MAGNIFICENT SCENERY
by Messrs.
GEO. and J. GORDON and J. HENNINGS.
THE COSTUMES from Historically Correct Designs.
Musical Director ... Mr. Geo. Hall.
Stage Director ... Mr. W. F. Hawtrey.
Box Plan at Nicholson's. Prices as usual. Children under 8 not admitted.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

Messrs. Williamson and Musgrove beg to announce that, in compliance with numerous petitions and requests, they have arranged to give, prior to the termination of the season, a few performances of that most Romantic and Interesting Play,
THE PRISONER OF ZENDA.
Particulars as to date, &c., see Future Announcements.

HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE.

Lessees and Managers, Messrs. Williamson and Musgrove.
A GRAND CHARITY MATINEE
will be given on the Afternoon of
FRIDAY NEXT, JUNE 24.
The proceeds to be divided between
THE WIDOWS and ORPHANS
of the unfortunate Mariners who lost their lives in the recent terrible gales and
THE THEATRICAL CHARITIES,
when all the Principal Artists now in Sydney and Managers of the Sydney Theatres have combined to arrange
A STUPENDOUS PROGRAMME
of
MULTIFARIOUS ATTRACTIVENESS.
The use of HER MAJESTY'S THEATRE has been given for this occasion free of charge.
Attention is called to the following Splendid List of Attractions:—
The Third Act of the Great Military Spectacle,
A RO

Auction Sales.

ONE HUNDRED CANARIES
(PRIZE STRAINS).
TO BE SOLD AT AUCTION
at
LAWSON and SMITH'S
AUCTION ROOMS, 128 and 130 PITT-STREET
(near King-street).
THIS DAY, MONDAY,
20th JUNE, AT 2.30 O'CLOCK
IN THE AFTERNOON.
Under Instructions from
Mr. HENRY HAMMER,
MILLER-STREET, NORTH SYDNEY,
In Consequence of Leaving the Colony.

CHOICE CANARIES.
Yorkshire, Norwich, Crested and Crestedbred, Mountain Rollers,
&c., &c.
AVIARIES and CAGES.

☞ POSITIVELY WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

JAMES R. LAWSON
(LAWSON and SMITH)
has been instructed to sell by auction, at THE ROOMS, 128-130 PITT-STREET, as above.

☞ ON VIEW THIS DAY, MONDAY PRIOR TO SALE.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY,
21st JUNE, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
at
No. 414 PARK-ROAD
(opposite Centennial Park),
PADDINGTON,
the Residence of
S. WHITE, Esq.
SUPERIOR FURNITURE and HOUSEHOLD EFFECTS.
DINING-ROOM FURNITURE, Walnut Overmantel, with bevelled-edged Mirrors and Side Galleries, Austrian Chairs, Cedar Dinner Wagon, Stained Walnut Bookcase.
SOLID WALNUT 5ft. SIDEBOARD
(of Superior Manufacture).
SATTAN SITTING-ROOM SUITE of Six Pieces,
upholstered in Silk Tapestry.
BRONISED PIANOFORTE
by
JOH KUBSE, Dresden.
BEDROOM FURNITURE.—Half-tester Bedsteads (double and single), Wove-wire Mattresses and Bedding complete, Wardrobes with plate-glass doors, Combination Dressing Chests, Toilet Pairs, &c., &c.
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY EFFECTS.
TWO ROLLER PATENT MANGLE.

JAMES R. LAWSON
(LAWSON and SMITH)
has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction at his Residence, as above,
TO-MORROW,
TUESDAY, 21st JUNE, AT 11 O'CLOCK A.M.
☞ On View TUESDAY MORNING prior to Sale.

LAW BOOKS.
AN IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION,
TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, 21st JUNE,
AT 2.30 O'CLOCK IN THE AFTERNOON.
A CATALOGUE OF 120 LOTS
of
VALUABLE LAW BOOKS.
☞ CATALOGUES will be posted on application, or may be obtained at the Offices of THE AUCTIONEERS, 128-130 PITT-STREET.

JAMES R. LAWSON
(LAWSON and SMITH)
has been favoured with instructions to sell by auction as above.

☞ ON VIEW THIS DAY, MONDAY, FROM 12 O'CLOCK NOON.

DOUBLE BAY.
WEDNESDAY, 22nd JUNE, AT 11 A.M.
IMPORTANT SALE BY AUCTION
of
THE SUPERIOR FURNITURE and EFFECTS
of
GLEN ALVON,
CORNER OF CROSS AND BAY STREETS,
DOUBLE BAY.
HANDSOME DINING-ROOM SUITE.
ELEGANT DRAWING-ROOM APPOINTMENTS.
FURNITURE OF SEVERAL BEDROOMS.
GLASS, CHINA, and ORNAMENTS.
KITCHEN and LAUNDRY EFFECTS,
and
THE GENERAL MISCELLANEOUS REQUISITES
of
A GENTLEMAN'S RESIDENCE.
Also,
VALUABLE COLLIE DOG,
"JACK," Sable and White, whelped 1896,
by TWEED out of JEAN.
The grandsire of Jack (Champion Christopher) was sold for 1000 GUINEAS. The great-grandsire of Jean was Champion Ruthland, who three times won the SIXTY-GUINEA TROPHY.
FULL PARTICULARS of "JACK'S" pedigree can be obtained from the HON. SECRETARY of the Kennel Club, Pitt-street, Sydney.
☞ POSITIVELY WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.

JAMES R. LAWSON
(LAWSON and SMITH)
has been favoured with instructions to conduct the Important Sale by auction, at the residence, as above.
☞ ON VIEW TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, JUNE 21st, from 2.30 o'clock in the afternoon.

THIS DAY, Monday, at 2 o'clock sharp,
At 37 BROADWAY, Glebe.
J. BROWN and CO. will sell by auction, for T. H. Webbe, Esq., without the slightest reserve, his Superior Household Furniture and Appointments.
Massive Inlaid Drawing-room Suite, Grand PIANO, imported by Eavy and Co., cost 65 gns., in splendid order; rich GENOA and PLUSH SUITE.
DINING-ROOM SUITE of 9 Pieces, real skins
2 BEDROOM SUITES, Combinations, nearly new
Linoleum and Oilcloth, 4ft. and 5ft. RIDE-BOARDS
IMPROVED BEALE and WHEELER and WILSON SEWING MACHINES.
Chest Drawers, Wardrobe, Overmantels, splendid Pearl and Brass BEDSTEADS and BEDDING, Chairs, Tables, Duchess Pairs, Glass, Dresser, China, Handsome Cutlery.
First-class COPPER.
Nobel's MANGLE, and most Requisites for furnishing a Gentleman's Residence.

Estate of ALFRED LOFTS, of Alexandria.
THIS DAY, Monday, at 11 a.m.
In Maddock and Co.'s Rooms, Clarence-street.
By Order of W. H. Palmer, Esq., Official Assignee.
HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE and EFFECTS.
C. F. W. LLOYD will sell by auction, as above.
Without Reserve. Terms, Cash.
Offices—117 Hunter-street, Sydney.

THIS DAY, at 10.30 a.m., at 161 Annandale-street, Annandale.
The Household Furniture and Effects of a Cottage Villa.
Brussels Carpets, Iron Bedsteads and Bedding complete, Toilets, Washstands and Ware, Chiffoniers, Sideboard, Dining Tables, Austrian Chairs, Pictures, Glass and China, Kitchen Requisites, Cutlery, Crockery, &c.
A. MITCHELL will sell, under instructions from Mrs. Stanley, without reserve
The Furniture is only three months in use.

THIS DAY, MONDAY, at 11.30, on Premises, Marriott-street, Granville (opposite Granville Railway Station), by order, A. MITCHELL will sell by auction FURNITURE, &c., 6pen Bedstead, 3ft. Linen, Chest Drawers, sup. Ornament, 6pen Dining Table, Chairs, Toilet Table, Chest, Cutlery, &c. No Reserve. Terms, Cash. Office, Abercrombie-street.

A. MITCHELL will sell THIS DAY, at 3.30 p.m., at corner Penshurst-street and Marlborough-road, North Willoughby,
Household Furniture and Effects
Horse, Cart, and Harness, &c., &c.
NO RESERVE.

TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 11.
MOST IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT.
TO RESIDENTS OF WAVERLEY AND WOOLLAHRA.
UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE
of
ELEGANT FURNITURE AND EFFECTS.
MAGNIFICENT PIANOFORTE by RONISCH,
almost new,
on the Premises,
AVIA,
178 QUEEN-STREET, WOOLLAHRA.
☞ Under Instructions from a Gentleman who is leaving the Colony.
ELEGANT DINING and DRAWING ROOM FURNITURE.
☞ Full particulars see Saturday's paper.
BRIGHT GRAND PIANOFORTE, in walnut case, by the celebrated makers, RONISCH, oblique trichord, and possessing all the latest improvements; cost the owner 70 guineas. To be sold without reserve.
CONTENTS OF SEVERAL BEDROOMS, including
SINGER'S SEWING MACHINE, almost new,
Kitchen and Laundry Utensils,
Garden Tools, and Lawn Mower.
C. W. MADDOCK and CO. have received instructions to Orsell, without the SLIGHTEST RESERVE, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, at 11 o'clock.
TERMS, CASH.
Auctioneers' Offices, 121 Clarence-street.
Telephone, 2234.

TUESDAY, 21st JUNE,
at 11 a.m.,
At BROOK and CO.'S Mart,
146 ELIZABETH-STREET,
near Liverpool-street.
UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION
of
SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE
and EFFECTS,
Removed from Albion-street, Surry Hills.
FULL PARTICULARS IN TO-MORROW'S ISSUE.
H. W. BROOK AND CO.
have received instructions from the Owner TO SELL TO-MORROW, AT 11 A.M.
UNRESERVED SALE by PUBLIC AUCTION.
TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, JUNE 21st, at 11 O'CLOCK.
On the PREMISES, No. 4 BLIGH-STREET.
The Complete Furnishings of a First-class Boarding-house of 10 rooms, &c.
HOUSE, SURRY, BUGGY, and HARNESS.
DALWOOD and CO. will sell as above.
WITHOUT RESERVE.
☞ LARSWARE, Crockery, your own prices. Bray Bros., 404 George-st. Closing business, lease expiring.

THIS DAY,
MONDAY, 20th JUNE, at 2.30 p.m.
FOR POSITIVE SALE.
AT THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET.
THE BALANCE
of a shipment
of
FANCY GOODS and CHOICE BRIC-A-BRAC.
Also,
15 High-grade BICYCLES,
Ladies' and Gent.'s
HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY
(late HARRIS and ACKMAN),
Auctioneers, &c., 199 Pitt-street.

TO-MORROW,
TUESDAY, 21st JUNE, at 11.30 a.m.
FOR ABSOLUTE and POSITIVE SALE by AUCTION.
AT THE MART, 199 PITT-STREET.
Under instructions from
Messrs. GERBER, MICHAUT, and COMPANY,
Messrs. H. J. LANGDON and COMPANY,
and other Importers.
627 PACKAGES
NEW SEASON'S INDIAN TEAS,
Ex S.s. Darius and India, from Calcutta,
ALL GRADES, from ALL DISTRICTS of INDIA.
612 PACKAGES
NEW SEASON'S CEYLON TEAS,
now landing ex S.s. Orvieto and Ceres, from Colombo.
PEKOES, ORANGE PEKOES, BROKEN PEKOES, BROKEN ORANGE PEKOES, and CURIO BROKEN ORANGE PEKOES.
1299 PACKAGES.
Also,
7½ Tons SOUTH AMERICAN (Nos. 0 and 1) COFFEE BEANS.
Also,
UNDER INSTRUCTIONS FROM THE IMPORTERS.
50 Cases Imperial Three-star PALE BRANDY
200 Cases GURDON'S SPECIAL WHISKY, 1 B
100 Cases BRANDY, 1 B
10 Bags MUSCATELS, each 60lb.
80 Boxes ELEMES
50 Cases PEELED TOMATOES, 2½lb. tins
10 Ditto PRESERVED PEAS, 1lb. tins
20 Tons BROWN WRAPPING PAPER
4 Cases Savory and Moore's MILK FOOD
20 Ditto TABLE VINEGAR, quarts and pints
10 Ditto CROWN BAR SOAP
3 Ditto CIGARETTES, 1 B
8 Ditto PACKET HOPS
50 Ditto BORAX SOAP
100 Tins SCOTCH MIXTURES, each 15lb.
20 Cases ROYAL PEAS
30 Ditto SALMON
35 Ditto EASTMAN'S TOMATOES
23 Ditto HITCHIE'S PINDOR HADDOCKS
INVOICE of Yeaman's Egg and Custard Powder, Herbs, Curry Powder, Cayenne Pepper, &c.
And other lines in
GENERAL GROCERIES, OILMEN'S STORES, WINES, SPIRITS, and BEERS, &c.
CATALOGUES of SALES for the week obtainable at the ROOMS, or posted on application.
HENRY HARRIS and COMPANY
(late HARRIS and ACKMAN),
Auctioneers and Valuators, 199 Pitt-street.

AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET.
THIS DAY, MONDAY, JUNE 20,
AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
5 PAIRS CANARIES in full Song, Yellow, Buffs, and Norwich.
LARGE DOUBLE AVIARY.
A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, THIS DAY, MONDAY, June 20, at 11 o'clock sharp.

To the Drapery Trade, Country Buyers, and Others.
FOR UNRESERVED SALE BY AUCTION.
AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET.
THIS DAY, MONDAY, JUNE 20,
at 11 o'clock sharp.
On Account of the Consignors.
SPECIALLY SELECTED INVOICE
of
LADIES' CLOTH CAPES, JACKETS, and CLOAKS,
also
GENERAL DRAPERY in
Men's and Boys' Clothing, Knicker Suits, Shirts, Hosiery, Fancy Prints, Crepons, Dress Stuffs, Calicoes, Sheetings, Toilet Goods, &c.
also
1 CASE GENTN.'S MACINTOSHES, English.
A. TRAVERSI and CO. will sell the above at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, THIS DAY, MONDAY, June 20, at 11 o'clock sharp.
To the Wholesale and Retail Boot Trade, Country Buyers, Dealers, and Others.
AT THE ROOMS, 12 BARRACK-STREET,
TO-MORROW, TUESDAY JUNE 21,
AT 11 O'CLOCK SHARP.
On Account of the Consignors.
MEN'S, WOMEN'S, and CHILDREN'S
BOOTS and SHOES, BOOTS and SHOES.
Men's Calf Balmorals, tan and black, 5-10
Women's Glace Oxford Shoes and Balmorals, 3-7
Children's Glace E.S. and Inst. patent vamp
Women's Glace E.S., seam to toe, 3-7
Children's Ankle and Overstrap Shoes, 4-6, 7-10
Girls' Calf Oxfords, Tan Shoes, 10-2
Girls' Glace Oxfords, patent vamp, 7-10, 11-1
Women's Glace Court Shoes, 3-7.
Also,
LARGE ASSORTMENT COLONIAL MANUFACTURES,
&c., &c., &c.
A. TRAVERSI and CO.
will sell the above at their Rooms, 12 Barrack-street, TO-MORROW, TUESDAY, June 21, at 11 o'clock sharp.

THIS DAY.
JOHN P. LISTER will sell by auction, at his Rooms, 247a Pitt-street, on MONDAY, June 27, the UNREDEEMED PLEDGES pawned with Mr. J. BLOOM, 118 Bathurst-street, at 31st December, 1897, to 31st January, 1898, brooch, ring, all silver, 1897. January—11th, g h Rotherham 2 over 3748, g o f k Waltham 6819671. March—4th, 5-stone ring, 2 silver watches, 2 rings. July—21st, g h k Waltham 1834191; 28th, ridr. September—4th, coat, vest; 9th, g h k watch 22255; 13th, s o f lever 12016, watch; 14th, g h k watch, brooch; 17th, g h k watch 2172; 20th, g h lever 20092, all albert; 22nd, g mtd earrings; 24th, s h lever 11172, s h lever 47719, albert s s dia ring, dia ring pair; 25th, s h Waltham 1963514; 28th, g h k lever, dress coat, vest; 29th, s h geneva 21444, g albert, g stone, 2 rings; 30th, fob albert. October—2nd, g bracelet; 5th, s h k Waltham 1148191, s albert, s fob; 6th, g h k lever 1408, g h k lever 5477; 11th, g h k watch 1414; 12th, s h lever 5024, g albert; 13th, s h lever 1 over 9037, s s dia pin, g albert; 15th, 3-stone ring; 18th, g mtd earrings; 19th, g h k watch, dia cha ring; 21st, g h geneva 20653, g solitaires, dia cross, g s s dia ring; 23rd, fob albert, s s diarring, 6 p pr rings; 24th, s h k watch 2122303, g h k Waltham 1963514, 3-stone ring. November—1st, dia and pearl bangle, g h k Rotherham 20865, g h Rotherham 1 over 5643, g albert, s h lever 96282, albert; 2nd, 5 g studs; 5th, g mtd brooch, s h lever 1 over 5, g h k lever 6567246, g h k brooches, 5 studs, g albert; 10th, s o f lever 1896, h h dia ring; 12th, g brooch; 13th, h h dia ring, fancy brooch, 2 g rings; 17th, g h k lever 1 over 9037, s s dia pin, g albert; 18th, 2570004, g albert, s h Waltham 1912208, g ring, 2 g rings; 27th, g o f geneva 63443, e p cruet, g bangle, brooch; 29th, g h k lever 1 over 9037, s h 2163602, g albert; 30th, s s dia ring, g h k watch 26947, fob albert, g fob albert, s h lever 23464, dress ring; 29th, fob locket, 2 pairs links, s h Waltham, 3-stone ring, dia pin, pair links, s h dia brooch, g pin, g ring; 29th, g albert, g h k watch 64214, g albert, s h lever 6865, 6 serviette rings. December—1st, g h geneva 47547, g albert, s h lever 1 over 5643, g h geneva 47547 and albert; 2nd, dia stud, g pencil case, s o f geneva 15871, g albert, pendant; 3rd, g o f lever 7835, g ring, g h keeper, 2 g rings; 6th, g h k watch 2122911, g h keeper, overcoat, sundry clothing, s h Wal 18/3487, g cross, brooch, ring, s h k Wal 12219?1; 7th, opal pin, g albert, dia fer ring, dia rings; 8th, g h k geneva 2820?42, g albert; 9th, 3 gold watches 60?00, 87?23, 11?09, g albert, guard, purse; 11th, s h dia ring, s h lever 62?35, g trinket; 13th, g h k Elgin 4?84?97, g h gun, g h k Wal 8?51?14, waterbury, albert, pin; 15th, s o f gun 31?60, s albert, g albert, 2 g bangles, guitar; 16th, g albert, s s dia ring; 22nd, Singer treadle machine, sad, e p tea, coffee set, 20th, ring, coat, vest, coat, sack, gold bar, diamond, cloak, h bag, &c. 1898—January—4th, e p egg cruet, mug; 10th, portmanteau, suit, mac, h bag, overcoat; 14th, sundry tools; 17th, gladstone bag, gun case, quilt; 25th, piece tweed, suit, 24 pcs table linen, brass instrument; 27th, fish slice, fork, f glasses, revolver; 29th, suit; 27th, 2 tablecloths; 31st, 4 salts (in case). February—4th, dress, 2ch, dress suit; 7th, glad bag, 2 suits, trousers, 2ch, saddle; 10th, e p pickle frame; 11th, violin (in case); 16th, violin (in case), d b k gun, f glasses, revolver, ornamental; 18th, e p butter pot; 21st, 2 table cloths, 8 books; 23rd, saddle; 28th, plush coat, suit; 29th, macintosh, coat, trousers, suit. Mar h—1st, s mtd dressing case; 3rd, saxhorn; 4th, guitar, trousers, vest; 7th, violin (in case); 8th, 4 pcs clothing; 9th, suit, coat, vest, overcoat; 11th, treadle machine, b h gun; 12th, clock; 14th, f glasses (in case), revolver, pc silk; 15th, sad bag. Also a large quantity of jewellery, clothing, and sundries upon which no sum under has been advanced.
TO DRAPERS, STOREKEEPERS, OUTFITTERS, &c.
CLEARING AUCTION SALE.
WEDNESDAY NEXT, JUNE 22nd.
JAMES RODD and CO. have received instructions to sell by auction, in their Rooms, 7 Wynyard-street, on WEDNESDAY, at 11 o'clock,
Indentor's Stock of Clothing, Outfitting, &c., being indent stock, and to be sold at risk of indentor.
WITHOUT ANY RESERVE.
Men's and Boys' Suits, Overcoats, Clothing, Mercery, Shirts, Ties, also Manchester Goods, Calicos, Rugs, Flannelette, Serges, Underclothing, Laces, Hosiery, Tweeds, Haberdashery.
Also, same date, at risk of Consignee,
1 Bale, containing 100 Fancy Rugs
1 Case, containing 50 pieces Galoted
1 Case, containing 240 doz. Assorted Hosiery.
NOTE DAY OF SALE, WEDNESDAY, at 11.
THURSDAY, June 23rd,
at the
CITY MART, at half-past 11 o'clock,
696 PACKAGES CEYLON TEAS.
Ex "Peninsular," "Orvieto," and other late arrivals.
This week's catalogue will embrace
Messrs. FAIRBURY, HENTY, and CO.'S
shipment of
872 PACKAGES,
and
for Account of other Importers,
324 PACKAGES
Choice and Medium Grades of
HIGH-GROWN TEAS.
FRASER, UTHER, and CO. will sell by auction as above.
Musters on view.
To Shipbuilders, Contractors, Wheelwrights, Fuedrivers, Carpenters, and others.
WILLIAM HAINS has received instructions from the Executors of the late Mr. William Fleming to sell by public auction, on WEDNESDAY, at 11 a.m., on the Grounds, Rose Bay, near the Rose Bay Wharf,
120 large Dressed Piles (Grey Ironbark).
No Reserve. Terms, Cash.

FURNITURE. CARPETS.
BEDSTEADS AND BEDDING,
HAVE PLEASED OTHERS, CAN PLEASE YOU.

HALL'S
DRAWING-ROOM SUITE,
Tastefully upholstered in Rich Silk Tapestry and Plush Borders,
Settee, Pair Arm Chairs, and 4 Carved Small Chairs,
£4 10s.

HALL'S
SOLID DINING-ROOM SUITE,
Covered in best quality Crocket's Cloth,
Large Couch, Pair Easy Chairs, and 6 Padded-back Small Chairs,
6 GUINEAS.

HALLS HAVE ON VIEW 50 DRAWING-ROOM SUITES, from 4 guineas to 25 guineas.
HALLS HAVE ON VIEW 30 DINING-ROOM SUITES, from £5 15s to 25 guineas.

HALL'S
POLISHED WALNUT COLOUR
BEDROOM SUITE,
Wardrobe with best Plate-glass Door, Duchess Toilet, Chest Drawers, Bevel-edge Glass attached, and Marble-topped Washstand, 2 Cane Chairs, and Towel Rail,
£6 10s.

HALL'S
BRASS-MOUNTED
HALF-TESTER BEDSTEAD,
Full size,
Double Wire Mattress, Top Mattress, Bolster, and 2 Pillows,
£3 15s.

HALLS HAVE ON VIEW 60 BEDROOM SUITES, from 6 guineas to 50 guineas.

A. HALL AND COMPANY,
561, 563, 565, AND 567 GEORGE-STREET, BRICKFIELD-HILL.
HALL'S NEW ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE FOR 1898 POST FREE.
HALLS PACK COUNTRY ORDERS FREE.
LEAVE TRAM OR 'BUS AT LIVERPOOL-STREET FOR HALLS'

A MAN'S INCOME
may be very large, but if he fails to save a part of it he never meets with success. The same may be said of the man who has a small income. You can save a good deal of your money that usually goes to other people by looking at the Goods and Prices we offer before paying more money for the same thing elsewhere. We sell good and reliable Furniture, suggest and advise, and gladly show our Goods. Here are a few prices:—

BEDSTEADS AND BEDDING.
HANDSOME H. T. BEDSTEADS, complete, with a Triple Wire Mattress and a set of best Kapoc Bedding, £4 15s; other prices, £6 6s, £7 10s, and £8 15s.
HANDSOME DRAWING-ROOM SUITE, strongly upholstered and covered with a Rich Silk Tapestry, seven pieces, £4 10s; other prices, £7 10s, £8 10s, to 40 guineas.
"HAMPDEN" BEDROOM SUITE, consisting of Wardrobe with Plate-glass Front and Drawers, Duchess Chest of Drawers with Jewel Trays, Marble-top Washstand, Towel Rail, and Chairs. Our Price is £6 10s. We have dozens of others to select from at £8 5s, £9 10s, £10 10s, £12 10s, up to any price.
COUNTRY RESIDENTS, WRITE FOR OUR ILLUSTRATED CATALOGUE.

B. BEBARFALD AND CO.,
HOUSE FURNISHERS,
536 GEORGE-STREET (ONLY), OPPOSITE TOWN HALL.

Auction Sales.
PROPERTY SALES, at the Rooms, 213 Pitt-street, THIS DAY, 20th June, at 11.30 a.m.
ASHFIELD, Albert-parade.—Lot 11, between the properties of Mr. Stoughton and M'Inder, opposite the reserve, 56ft. x 180ft., lane at the rear, fenced. Torrens title.
NORTH SYDNEY, 25 Bank-street, off Union-street.—W.B. Cottage, 3 rooms, kitchen, verandahs front and back, land 30ft. x 130ft., Torrens title.
DITTO DITTO.—Ancram-street, through to Banks-street, land 50ft. x 125ft. On the Ancram-street frontage is erected shields Cottage, W.B., and containing 2 rooms, kitchen, front verandah.
ALSO, BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEES.
WATER FRONTAGE COTTAGE RESIDENCE, Chiswick, Parramatta River, a delightful Brick Cottage, containing hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry verandahs front and back, boathouse, &c. The land has a frontage of 132ft. to Parramatta River, a depth of 165ft. to the water of the Parramatta River. Torrens Title.
. A nicely situated property, commanding very pretty views of the river, within a minute's walk of the wharf, and close to the properties of Doctors Fortescue and Renwick.
ST. PETERS, Tempe Park Estate.—Lots 113 and 114, Belmore-street, each 20ft. x 110ft., lane at the rear, Torrens title.
ALSO, ON ACCOUNT OF THE OWNER, WITHOUT RESERVE.
HURSTVILLE, Wonioro-road.—West Paddock Estate, Lot 7, 66ft. x 132ft. to lane. Deferred terms. Torrens title.
. A good level Building Site, convenient to the railway station, and nearly opposite Mr. Crane's residence.
WATKIN and WATKIN,
Auctioneers, 213 Pitt-street.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE
ENFIELD,
a healthy suburb adjoining Burwood.
Detached RESIDENCE of brick (cavity walls), tiled roof, verandahs all round, containing drawing-room, entry, bathroom, kitchen, stable, buggy house, man's room, fowlshed, cowshed. LAND 400ft. to Tavistock-street (Liverpool-road), and 400ft. to Eleanora-street, depth through 250ft.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 24th JUNE,
at our Rooms, at 11.30 a.m.
On easy terms. Title, Torrens.
F. R. BRETNALL, Esq., 84 Elizabeth-street, is Solicitor of Mortgage. (2241)
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

HYDE PARK, CITY
DOUBLE FRONTAGE BLOCK
to
ELIZABETH and CASTLEREAGH STREETS,
and
MARKET and PARK STREETS.
FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.
The Land has 31ft. 3in. to ELIZABETH-STREET and 31ft. 11in. to CASTLEREAGH-STREET, with a depth through of 140ft. 3in.
On it are erected the following Premises:—
Elizabeth-street.—TWO SHOPS, Nos. 193 and 195a, Castlereagh-street.—SHOP, No. 172 and 174.
In Courtyard.—Five Small Dwellings.
ANNUAL RENTAL, £228 per annum.
. A CENTRAL and CHOICE POSITION, opposite HYDE PARK. It is a FREEHOLD BLOCK upon which DIRECT CHAMBERS of PLATE.
AUCTION SALE, FRIDAY, 24th JUNE,
At our Rooms, at 11.30 a.m.
(2243) RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

ARGYLE BISCUIT FACTORY
KENDALL-LANE, ARGYLE-STREET,
off GEORGE-STREET NORTH, Circular Quay.
THE BUILDING is most substantially built, chiefly of stone, slate roof, almost entirely of four stories; 55ft. frontage to MILL-STREET, depth 160ft. along a lane, there are three floors 100ft. deep.
THE MACHINERY comprises 16 h.p. Engine and Boiler, 3 Ovens (2 travelling), capacity 3½ tons per day; 3 Cutting Machines, 4 Mixers, 2 Brakes, Rout Machine, Iron Staging, Shafting, Gearing, Belting, &c., &c.
The PLANT is of modern type, in excellent condition.
BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
INSPECTION INVITED, for which purpose Cards to view obtainable on application to the Auctioneers.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., have received instructions to sell by public auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 24th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.
The above Argyle Biscuit Factory, capable of being applied for many good uses, for situation is so easily commercial, and wharfage at the door.
The BUILDING is so commodious as to allow of a second industry being carried on independently of an active trade in the Biscuit line. (2201)

DISTRICT OF PARRAMATTA.
SHERWOOD.
A well-known ORCHARD and VINEYARD, comprising an area of about 15 ACRES, having about 10 chains frontage to the south side of WOODPARK-ROAD and a road at the back, bounded on the east by Gunzgnai's Vineyard and on the west by the property of Inclletti.
The whole area is enclosed, and about 10 acres laid out as Orchard and BOGAN-CLASS VINEYARD.
The dwelling consists of a substantial WEATHER-BOARD COTTAGE, known as Capers House, with verandahs in front, and containing 4 rooms and kitchen, detached wooden stable, outbuilds, and wine cellars.
. A Harness, Cart, and Harness and various Farming Implements (a list of which may be inspected) will be sold with the property.
A never-failing water supply from the city water supply canal.
Henry Davis, Esq., 80 Castlereagh-street, Solicitor for the Mortgagee.
By order of the Mortgagee.
AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 24th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

CITY, SMALL INVESTMENT.
DWELLING HOUSE, No. 79 O'CONNOR-STREET, off ABERCROMBIE-STREET, a little south of George-street West, and handy to Tooth's Brewery. It is of brick on stone, balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, washshed. Torrens Title.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 24th June, at 11.30 a.m., The above. (2246)

ALICE-STREET, NEWTOWN.
COMFORTABLE COTTAGE, AVOCA, No. 56, and large Grounds, occupied by Mr. Barnes, the prize baconcurer. It is of brick on stone, slate roof, having verandahs, hall, 7 rooms, kitchen, pantry, &c. Land, 126ft. x a great depth of about 200ft.
In One or Two Lots.
Ought to be inspected and considered.
AUCTION SALE at the Rooms, Pitt-street.
FRIDAY, 1st July, 11 o'clock.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.
(2244)

TURRAMURRA.
On the North Shore Railway, opposite the road leading in to the station, one minute walk from the latter.
A compact improved PROPERTY, comprising TWO two-story HOUSES and FIVE COTTAGES, situate at the junction of the LAND COVE-ROAD, KISSING POINT-ROAD, and BOYD'S-ROAD. The Buildings are principally of brick (two cottages only are built of weatherboard) on brick foundation, and containing as follows:—
Two two-story Houses, each verandah front and side, hall, 7 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse.
Five Cottages, each verandahs in front, and accommodation ranging from 4 rooms and kitchen to 7 rooms, bathroom, kitchen, and washhouse.
LAND having about 400ft. to Kissing Point-road, 200ft. to Boyd-street, and 32ft. to Lane Cove-road, with a depth on the eastern boundary of 260ft. 10in.
The site is one of the best in the district, commanding most extensive views of the surrounding country.
By Order of the Mortgagee.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 8th JULY, at 11 o'clock.
The above Property, close to the Turramurra Railway Station, the southern side of the line. (2239)

Auction Sales.
To Close a Deceased Estate.
MILLER'S POINT, CITY.
1. THREE Two-storey Stone HOUSES, comprising Nos. 21 to 25 VICTORIA-TERRACE, MOORE'S-ROAD, with balconies in front, and containing each 4 rooms, attic-room, and kitchen. Land 50ft. x 80ft. on one side and 86ft. on the other.
2. A Corner BUILDING SITE, having frontages of 33ft. 7in. to BETTINGTON-STREET, 50ft. 5in. to RHODEN'S-PLACE, and 66ft. 3in. to another lane, situate opposite the Palisade Hotel.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction at the Rooms, Pitt-street, on FRIDAY, 24th JUNE, at 11 o'clock.
The above small City Properties at the end of Argyle-street, in the ACTIVE CENTRE of the immediate City Business.
Messrs. WALLACE and ROBSON, 164 Pitt-street, Solicitors for the Estate.

FOR ABSOLUTE SALE.
MILTONIA, Semi-detached COTTAGE VILLA, fronting CARY-STREET, WARREN ESTATE, on the Heights of MARRICKVILLE, handy to TWO RAILWAY STATIONS (Marrickville and Petersham). It is brick, front cemented and painted, bay window and verandah in front, and containing hall-hall, 5 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, pantry, and washshed, gas and water laid on.
The LAND has 26ft. 3in. to CARY-STREET, depth 125ft., part along a right-of-way.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 24th June, at 11.30 a.m.
The above neat Cottage.
Messrs. CLAYTON and PRATT are Solicitors of owner. (2241)

BY ORDER OF THE CURATOR OF INTESTATE ESTATES.
200 SHARES in CIVIL SERVICE Mut. B. and Inv. Society Ltd., for AUCTION SALE, at our Rooms, on FRIDAY, 24th June, at 11.30 a.m.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd.

BY ORDER OF THE MORTGAGEE.
HARRIS-STREET, ULTIMO.
TWO HOUSES, Nos. 507 and 509 HARRIS-STREET, the TROY LAUNDRY, No. 501 HARRIS-STREET, between William Henry and Macarthur streets, Ultimo. They are built of brick. Each house has verandah and balcony, 4 rooms, kitchen, bathroom, and washshed. The LAUNDRY contains two floors, lean-to of iron and wood, divided into compartments to suit the purpose of the trade. Stabling at rear.
The Land has 88ft. frontage to Harris-street with a depth of 130ft. extending to a lane.
TITLE LEASEHOLD, about 33 years to run, at a ground rent of £82 per annum.
RICHARDSON and WRENCH, Ltd., will sell by auction, at the Rooms, on FRIDAY, 24th June, at 11.30 a.m.
The above, on the main thoroughfare of Ultimo. (2237)

Medical, Chemicals, &c.
ABRAHAM'S PILLS
are prepared entirely from the vegetable MATERIA MEDICA, and do not contain any mercurial or mineral preparation whatever, and as they produce no nausea, liver and act mildly on the bowels will be found exceedingly useful where habitual costiveness exists; and being also free from all griping properties, no feeling of sickness or prostration will be experienced after taking them, as so often the case after ordinary pills.
As a GENERAL FAMILY MEDICINE they are invaluable.
for they may be safely taken by either sex at any time; and as no alteration of diet or confinement to the house is necessitated they will be found particularly beneficial, for they can likewise be taken directly any symptoms of indisposition appear.
In Boxes, 1s, 2s, and 5s.
Prepared only at the Laboratory,
434 GEORGE-STREET, SYDNEY.

ABRAHAM'S PILLS
MAKE WORK A PLEASURE
and
EXISTENCE A JOY.
DRUNKENNESS, or the Liquor Habit, cured by administering ABRAHAM'S REMEDY. Pamphlet and testimonials sent free, sealed. Address Mr. A. H. Norton, City Mutualchambers, cor. Hunter and High sts., Sydney.

Houses and Land for Sale.
FOREST LODGE, near Town Hall.—Good Freehold Investment.—5 Brick HOUSES, solidly built, rents £106, only £950; also 2 Houses, £725, cheap.
PAIR of Well-built HOUSES, near Moore Park, each 6 rooms, &c., £600, cheap. Page and Co., 139 King-st.
NEAR Camperdown Park.—4 Brick COTTAGES, 4 rents 20s., £500. Page and Company, 139 King-st.
NORTH Annandale, 20 ft. by 85 ft. deep.—Excellent Brick Cottage, 4 rooms, £280. Page and Co., 139 King-st.
MOSMAN.—COTTAGES for SALE, all prices; Cottages to Let. Davidson, estate agent, Avenue-rd.
LAND, Auburn, 4 minutes station, several lots, 3s per foot, 132 deep, terms, Torrens. S., Herald Office.
MOSS VALE.—Splendid Residential Property, 1 rood, grand situation, 300 acres, near stn. Jones, Moss Vale.
CHATSWOOD.—New Brick Cottage, 4 rooms, &c., land 66 x 230, £375, £25 deposit. J. Wilcox, Pitt-street.
MOORE PARK-RD.—Splendid Build. Allot., 20 x 140, price £275. T. H. England, 4 Castlereagh-st., Sydney.
NORTH SHORE, 200 Walker-street.—New Col. VILLA, 6 rooms, hall, kitchen, bathroom, storeroom, pantry, laundry, all conveniences, near park, harbour view, cheap. WORMALD BROS., Builders.

A WONDERFUL MEDICINE.
BEECHAM'S PILLS
are universally admitted to be worth a Guinea a Box for Bilious and Nervous Disorders, such as Wind and Pain in the Stomach, Sick Headache, Giddiness, Faintness and Sinking after Meals, Dizziness and Drowsiness, Cold Chills, Flushings of Heat, Loss of Appetite, Shortness of Breath, Costiveness, Scurvy and Blotches on the Skin, Disturbed Sleep, Frightful Dreams, and all Nervous and Trembling Sensations, &c. Every sufferer is earnestly invited to try one box of these Pills, and they will be acknowledged to be
WORTH A GUINEA A BOX.
For Females of all ages these Pills are invaluable, as a

SHIPPING.

ARRIVALS.—June 18.

Peninsular (P and O. Company's line), 6957 tons, Captain W. J. Wheeler, from London May 6. Passengers—London to Sydney: Mr. A. Grant, Mr. Penrith, Mrs. Lonsworth, Mr. R. Challoner, Miss Foord. London to Rockhampton: Mrs. Hewlett and 2 children. London to Wellington: Mrs. Hoyte, Miss E. Williams. London to Lyttelton: Miss N. Tindall. London to Napier: Miss Ellen Williams, Captain Russell, Mr. Russell, Miss Sunderland. Colombo to Sydney: Mr. and Mrs. Oliver, Mr. A. M'Dowan, Miss E. Roberts, Mr. F. S. Roberts, Mr. H. J. Steins. King George's Sound to Sydney: Mr. and Mrs. M'Williams, Mrs. Forsyth, Mr. M. Rodda. Melbourne to Sydney: Mrs. G. Walker, Mr. and Mrs. Deakin, Mrs. Keary, Mr. M'Donald, Mr. and Mrs. Carter, Mr. Mayer, Mr. Jewell, Miss Miller, Mr. Simmons, Miss Walker, Miss Robertson, Mrs. Robertson, Miss O'Connor, Mr. O. E. Porter, Miss King, Master Porter, Mr. J. M'Dougal. Adelaide to Sydney: Dr. Gee. London to Sydney: Major F. J. Christ, Mr. J. D. Pitcher, Miss and Master Richie, Mr. and Mrs. Richie and infant, E. Treslawey, agent.

Oonah, s., 1797 tons, Captain Featherstone, from Robart June 16. Passengers—Mesdames Gibson, Jamieson, Hubbard and child, Breme, Johnstone, Muncke, G. Roberts, H. A. Hewitt, Asher and child, Burgess. Misses Gibson (2), Wolff, Smythe, K. Walker, Dugleton, Bird, Miles, M. Collins, Stevens, A. Walker, M. Gibbs, Patton, M. Clarke, M. Dixon, M. Irvine, Barrett, Bowtibee, Carmichael, Messrs. E. J. Burgess, H. J. Wise, Bonnily, Bradford, Pearson, T. B. Taylor, G. Taylor, Ledger, Dible, R. A. Hewitt, Muncke, T. Lynch, Mather, Johnston, Masters Jamieson, Wise, Burgess, and 24 in the steerage. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Aramac, s., 2114 tons, Captain Robert Armstrong, from Cooktown, via ports. Passengers—Mesdames Craven, Brown, D. Evelyn, Cohen, T. Welsby and child, C. H. Murray, Misses Edmonds, Callacher, Roberts, Messrs. H. Craven and valet, J. T. Brown, D. Evelyn, H. V. Hartley, P. Hannon, S. Eddy, H. S. Haynes, S. C. Morle, J. Brice, W. G. Stenson, J. Krohn, Kendall, Palmer, T. Welsby, A. A. Barry, C. M'Gregor, G. Knebusch, H. Prosch, J. T. Dale, C. C. Murray, K. Chalk, W. P. Dobson, J. H. Hargart, F. E. Penfold, and Master Walker (nine) in the second cabin. Through passengers: Mesdames Waits and 3 children, Ogden, G. V. Hughes, Baker, Miss Chadwick, Messrs. G. S. Watts, Ogden, A. Walker, Allen and Co., Limited, agents.

City of Grafton, s., 825 tons, Captain D. Anthon, from Clarence River. Passengers—Mesdames Saunders, Misses Murcutt, Tulloch, Messrs. S. Naughton, G. M. Pattison, R. L. Wylie, F. M Dermott, E. Drew, R. H. Baiyden, H. Memmatt, W. Harris, H. W. Hale, T. Gray, F. Morrow, and two in the second cabin. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Burkenate, s., 1458 tons, Captain C. E. Saunders, from Noumea, Fiji Islands, Suva, June 9. Passengers—Miss N. Currie, Miss C. Currie, Mr. Wolseley, Mr. Ramsay, Mr. Baker, Mr. Mitchell, and 3 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co., agents.

Wyralah, s., 320 tons, Captain W. Evans, from Macleay River June 17. Passengers—Mr. A. Archibald, Mr. D. Gill, Mr. R. Gill. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Namoi, s., 1414 tons, Captain Thompson, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, agents.

Balmain, s., 604 tons, Captain Hunter, from Newcastle. A. Sandford, jun., agent.

Rosedale, s., 374 tons, Captain L. Paulson, from Bellinger River June 17. Passengers—Misses Lucas, Rushell (2), Mrs. Rushell, Captain Wasbrook, Messrs. Mitchell, Knight, S. Grant, F. F. Matthews, R. Blair, also 2 in the second cabin. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Titus, s., 760 tons, Captain Charles Todd, from New Guinea, New Britain, Solomon Islands, and New Hebrides. Passengers—Mesdames J. Mitchell, Zembton, Rev. Cecil Long, Dr. Mitchell, Messrs. J. Mitchell, F. Hall, O. M. Onslow, J. Bette, Norris, Walter Lucas, and 5 in the steerage. Burns, Philp, and Co., Limited, agents.

Mermaid, s., 3433 tons, Captain C. W. H. Chatfield, from Newcastle. F. W. Jackson, agent.

Gulf of Taranto, s., 2431 tons, Captain Warden, from Brisbane June 16. A. M'Arthur and Co., Limited, agents. June 19.

Klingamite, s., 2385 tons, Captain W. Waller, from New Zealand ports, via Auckland. Passengers—Messrs. Cooper, Snodgrass (2), Gowith, Russell, Lansbury, Luke, Hinton, Morgan, M'Mahon, Ellsworth, M'Cray, Barlow, Ivey, Coleman, Summers, Shaw, Bell, Lockton, Price, Champion, Bunby, Osborne, Garrett, Elyett, Bowring, Endean (2), Cranwell, Dennis, Rev. O'Meara, Quirk, Dr. Seidemann, Mesdames Bary, Osborne, Burkett and 3 children, Snodgrass, Champion, Gleeson, Ruck, Summers, M'Curdy, M'Mahon, Barry, Misses Kisly (2), Croxford, Barr, and 48 in the steerage. Huddart, Parker, and Co., Limited, agents.

Burrawong, s., 291 tons, Captain R. Paplin, from Macleay River June 18. Passenger—Mesdames Robertson, Prior, Andrews, and Woodrow, Keen (2), O'Connell, Miss Moffat, Messrs. Benson, H. Bull, Hart, Ducat, Coberoft, Vivers, Bray, Ferry, Warder O'Hara, and 7 in the steerage. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Allowrie, s., 505 tons, Captain Walker, from Eden and ports June 18. Passengers—Mesdames Woods, O'Reilly, Dunn, Walden, Misses O'Brien, Slater, O'Neil, Gilden, Young, O'Reilly, Hammond (2), Hodkinson, Livingstone, Boyd, Warden, Messrs. Aman, Leslie, Kiss, Steles, Kennister, Edwards, Brown, Sage, Thomas, Ferguson, Hardman, Keyes, Hazard, Henwood, Hendrick, Johnson, Masters Gilder and Callaghan, and 4 in the steerage. Illawarra S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Allinga, s., 2580 tons, Captain D. P. Davies, from Cairns, June 15, and ports. Passengers—Mrs. Bradderford, Mrs. Shopland, Mrs. Andrews, Mrs. Stephenson, Mrs. M'Guffie, Miss Wallis, Miss Grover, Miss May Andrews, Miss M'Guffin, Miss Franklin, Miss Stephens, Mr. G. P. Stevens, Mr. J. Gowland, Mr. Riley, Mr. D. Phillips, Mr. J. Burkett, Mr. G. Taylor, Mr. R. Gowland, Dr. R. Brooks, Mr. E. Bersford, Mr. J. Wood, Mr. A. Thompson, and 15 in the steerage. G. S. Yuill and Co., Limited, agents.

Burwan, s., 982 tons, Captain Hurford, from Rockhampton, via ports. Passengers—Mesdames J. H. Shields and child, Tweedie, E. Palmer, Clayton, E. Clayton, Messrs. F. W. Newman, L. Vetter, W. H. Bray, C. Snow, J. Sargent, E. Palmer, Wm. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Electra, s., 395 tons, Captain Edward Farrell, from Richmond River. Passengers—Mesdames Cooper, Watson, Fraser, Ferguson, Saddock, M'Bryde, M'Donough, Misses Burke, M'Donough, Lahy, Hutchison, Messrs. Watson, T. Keogh, R. Leslie, A. G. Thompson, H. Brown, W. H. Braddock, F. Strong, F. Allard, R. Earle, E. H. Davies, W. C. Streets, Master Strong, and 8 in the second cabin. North Coast S. N. Company, Limited, agents.

Ena, s., 1020 tons, Captain T. Moore, from Fort Pirie, via Geelong. Wm. Howard Smith and Sons, Limited, agents.

Sarah and Mary, brigantine, 145 tons, Captain Bushell, from Bluff May 30. J. J. Waterhouse, agent.

Sydney, s., 634 tons, Captain Walker, from Newcastle. Newcastle and Hunter River S.S. Company, Limited, agents.

Balmain, s., 604 tons, Captain T. Hunter, from Newcastle. A. Sandford, jun., agent.

DEPARTURES.—June 18.

Oceana, R.M.S., for London, via ports.
Warrimoo, R.M.S., for Vancouver, via ports.
Tambo, s., for Robart.
Leura, s., for Melbourne.
Tyrian, s., for Brisbane and Northern ports.
Barooo, s., for Brisbane.
Burimbla, s., for Rockhampton, via ports.
Evandale, s., for Java.
Condor, barque, for Valparaiso, via Newcastle.
Landaura, s., for Colombo, via Newcastle and Melbourne.
Augsburg, s., for Singapore and Hamburg. June 19.
Benmore, ship, for Liverpool.

PROJECTED DEPARTURES.—June 20.

La Perouse, s., for Noumea and New Hebrides: Omi Maru, s., for Melbourne: Electra, s., for Richmond River, South Australian, s., for Clarence River, via Newcastle: Illawarra S. N. Company's steamers, for Merimbula, Eden, Bermagui, Tathra, and Pambula; Sydney, s., for Newcastle.

CLEARANCES.—June 18.

Leura, s., 1182 tons, Captain William Ellis, from Melbourne. Passengers—Mesdames L. Beaton nurse and child, H. G. Bients, Kenny and infant, M'Mounies and 2 children, Smythe, J. Long, Dancey, Ferguson, Short, Misses M'Pherson, Violet Lesson, Messrs. L. Beaton, J. R. Gunn, A. Turner, H. Townes, J. L. Cardno, F. Ramsay, R. A. Black, H. G. Bients, Kenny, J. Hope, G. Edgar, M'Monies, E. O'Brien, H. Talon, Rev. Byrne, and 35 in the second cabin.

Tyrian, s., Captain John D. Joy, for Brisbane and Northern Queensland ports. Passengers—Mesdames T. J. Howell, Jones, Cairns and 3 children, Henderson, Gibbs nurse and child, O'Malley, W. Warner, Misses Maud Williamson, Turner, Bayley, Brooks, Maude Horne, E. Appel, M. Donovan, Messrs. Cairns, Gibbs, A. J. Trail, D. Gorman, O'Malley, W. Warner, P. South, T. H. Hall, J. D. Russell, Wilson, J. Cole, W. M'Kenzie, W. Best, H. Fahey, Master J. H. Cairns, and 31 in the second cabin.

Barooo, s., 1500 tons, Captain George Savage, for Brisbane. Passengers—Mrs. Byrne and 2 infants, Mrs. M'Clelland, Misses Youngren, A. Mills, Hardcastle, Savage, Loveday, Rev. Joseph Bunbury, Messrs. Griffin, J. E. Paul, C. Taylor, W. Seaman, James Taylor, J. A. Lochhead, E. M'Clelland, James Taylor, G Vanneck, A. H. Saunders, and 14 in the steerage.

Eurimbla, s., 1005 tons, Captain James Watt, for Rockhampton, via ports. Passengers—Mrs. Adam, Miss Williams, Miss Allen, Messrs. W. T. Harrington, S. H. B. Bradley, C. H. B. Bradley, K. Voller, J. Sheffield, Cowley, R. C. Phin, T. Simmons, Master B. Williams, Master G. Green, and 5 in the steerage.

Oceana, R.M.S., 6602 tons, Captain E. Stewart, for London, via ports, with passengers as published on Saturday.

Warrimoo, R.M.S., 3326 tons, Captain J. Day, for Vancouver, via ports, with passengers as published on Saturday.

Tambo, s., 732 tons, Captain G. T. Rose, for Robart. Passengers—Mesdames Rowberry, Reynolds, M. Gorsa and child, Lane, Miss Reynolds, Mr. Lane.

Condor, barque, 1283 tons, Captain O. Roberts, for West Coast, South America, via Newcastle.

Landaura, s., 3271 tons, Captain W. Britten, for Melbourne, via Newcastle, in ballast.

Evandale, s., 3775 tons, Captain Buyers, for Java.

COASTERS OUTWARDS.—June 18.

Lucretia, schooner, Captain H. Olsen, for Nambucca River; Lamb Lee, schooner, Captain D. Murray, for Port Kembla; Kallatina, s., Captain J. Magee, for Clarence River; Louisa Lamont, ketch, Captain P. Williams, for Manning River; Rebecca, ketch, Captain P. Williams, for Port Stephens.

IMPORTS.—June 18.

[A special charge is made for consignees' notices in this column.]

Aramac, s., from Cooktown, via ports: 619 cases pines, 5 cases cucumbers, 4 cases custard apples, 1804 bunches and 48 cases bananas, 80 cases tomatoes, 80 cases mixed mangoes, 70 cases galvanized iron, 10 cases arrowroot, 31 cases green fruit, 33 bags potatoes, 500 bales wool, 20 cases green peas, 56 bags and 14 cases provisions, 14 bags skins, 160 bags maize, 1 stone, 4 casks pelts, 4 bales hair, 47 bags bones, 430 casks tallow, 4 bags oysters, 411 bags tin ore, 4 packages 1937oz. gold (value 6822l), 12 cases lemons, 216 bags and 4050 loose bales, 39 packages gluepieces, horns, &c., 56 packages sundries.

City of Grafton, from Clarence River: 963 bags maize, 26 bags wheat, 14 bales bags, 20 bags bran, 3 bags pumpkins, 90 bags potatoes, 20 bales hay, 6 calves, 120 cases eggs, 20 cases bale, 8 bales skins, 20 jerseys, bacon, 30 pairs wild fowl, 6 cases cream, 46oz. gold, 11 casks tallow, 14 coops poultry, 150 hides, 54 hogsheads molasses, 202 boxes butter, 80 pigs, and a quantity of sundries.

Oonah, s., from Robart: 10,168 cases fruit, 309 cases pulp fruit, 118 cases jam, 22 cases sauce, 21 bags peas, 1450 bags wheat, 14 bales bags, 1500 bags flour, 6886 pieces timber, 300 rails, 800 palings, 500 spokes, 4446 bags ore, and sundries.

Birkgate, s., from Noumea and Fiji Islands: 6955 bunches bananas, 9237 bags copra, 604 bags chrome ore, 551 bags cocoanuts, 170 bags peanuts, 26 cases bananas, 13 cases pearlshell, 10 packages sundries.

Wyralah, s., from Macleay River: 1906 bags maize, and a quantity of sundries.

Rosedale, s., from Bellinger River: 1298 bags maize, 9 bales sheepskins, 23 cases eggs, 12 cases fruit, 4 cases fish, 2 casks honey, 7 coops poultry, 50 hides, 29 cases cream, 2 kegs butter, 1 log cedar, 80 pieces cedar, 23 pigs, and sundries.

Titus, s., from the Solomon Islands: 8561 bunches bananas, 200 tons bulk copra, 80 sacks coffee, 120 sacks maize, and sundries.

June 19.

Elingamite, s., from New Zealand ports: 50 cases turpentine, 8 cases drapery, 523 sacks oats, 80 cases cheese, 10 sacks oatmeal, 513 sacks potatoes, 202 sacks onions, 506 sacks pumice, 55 sacks sand, 16 bags bullion, 6 bundles posts, 57 bales flax, 18 casks tallow, 168 pieces 336 bundles timber, 4 cases waters, 200 cases milk, 712 bags ore, 56 boxes potatoes, 5 cases oatmeal, 39 casks limejuice, 14 sacks seed, 1 case vanilla, 2 bundles trees, and quantity sundries.

Era, s., from Port Pirie, via Geelong: From Port Pirie: 2800 bags of chaff, 1000 tons of sulphide concentrates, 90 tons of pig lead, 90 tons of copper ore. From Geelong: 6035 bags of chaff, 77 bales of chaff, 100 bales of hay, 77 sacks of onions, 220 sacks of flour, 18 cases medicine, 14 packages cordage, 5 bags of meal, 1 sheave pulley, 1 bale of hair, and 9 dumps of hair.

Burrawong, s., from Macleay River: 1801 bags maize, 33 cases eggs, 2 cases fish, 8 coops poultry, 1 horse, 21 hides, 180 boxes butter, 55 pigs, 58 packages sundries.

Allowrie, s., from Eden and ports: 770 bags bark, 619 bags butter, 1103 cheese, 11 cases eggs, 25 bundles skins, 20 packages 9 bales 2 bags skins, 21 cases cream, 472 bags ore, 8 cases poultry, 16 cases fish, 186 pigs, 4 casks tallow, 8 bags bones, 6 bags hides, 5 bags hides, 12 cartridge cases, 3 cases honey, 4 bales leather, 2 packages leather, 6 bags oysters, 6 horses, 1 bull, 1 sulky, 16 cases samples, and quantity sundries.

Electra, s., from Richmond River: 322 bags maize, 13 hides, 126 sacks bran, 3 bales sheepskins, 64 cases eggs, 2 cases bacon, 6 casks tallow, 3 coops poultry, 63 hides, 169 hhds. molasses, 273 boxes butter, 15,000ft. boxwood, 42 pigs, and sundries.

Sarah and Mary, brigantine, from Bluff, 1926 bags oats.

EXPORTS.—June 18.

Oceana, R.M.S., for London, via ports: 1586 bales wool, 47 bales furskins, 69 bales sheepskins, 4 bales hair, 127 bales 13 bags leather, 3 bales basils, 94 pieces 23,209 ingots copper, 6916 carcases mutton, 600 bunches bananas, 1 0 bags ore, 120 bags malt, 1 case bladders, 7205 cases meats, 424 cases meat extract, 6 cases bones, 1 case wax, 2064 cases oranges, 308 bags grain, 231 packages shell, 9 quarter-casks 6 octaves sherry, 24 packages rubber, 7 cases pearlshell, 4788 bars lead, 5267 bags concentrates, and sundries.

Warrimoo, R.M.S., for Vancouver, via Wellington, Fiji, and Honolulu: 44 bags sugar, 5 cases stout, 15 cases ale, 256 packages merchandise, 10 cases wine, 105 cases whisky, 10 cases claret, 1 case opium, 5 cases cigars, 3 cases brandy, 2 cases champagne, 2 cases liqueurs, 2 cases cash registers, 7 casks cement, 552 cases fruit, 325 sacks hides, 75 bales furskins, 914 cases 10 tierces meat, 50 cases palm seed, 29 cases eucalyptus oil, 10 bags rice, 3 tank plates, 1 case silverware (2100), and sundries.

TELEGRAPHIC SHIPPING NEWS.

BRISBANE.—Arrivals: June 18, Kellos, s., from Sydney. June 19, Julia Percy, s., from Rockhampton: Lady Musgrave, s., from Bundaberg. Departures: June 18, Wodonga, s., for Cooktown; Yaralla, s., for Cairns; Kellos, s., for Rockhampton. June 19, Oolac, s., for Cairns; Kellos, s., for Rockhampton. The Port Stephens, bound to Java, passed Moreton Island at 10.30 a.m.

MORETON BAY.—Arrival: June 18, Xylemore, ship, from New York.

BOWEN.—Departure: June 18, Warrego, s., for Brisbane. Arrival: June 19, Chanzella, s., from Sydney.

TOWNSVILLE.—Departure: June 18, Peregrine, s., for Brisbane.

CAIRNS.—Departure: June 19, Arawatta, s., for Brisbane.

YAMBA.—Departures: June 18, Australian, s., City of Grafton, s., for Sydney. Arrivals: Australian, s., for Sydney. Passed June 18, Electra, s., south.

NEWCASTLE.—Arrivals: June 18, County of Cardigan, ship, Rosabha, barque, Barrer, s., from Melbourne; Chiefe 6, Whitney, ship, from Port Blair; Eva, s., Sarah, from Port Macquarie; Maritta, s., from Adelaide; St. George, s., Tumaru, s., Sydney, s., Alice, s., Wollumbin, s., Durkenfield, s., Balmain, s., Burgara, brig, Endora, barque, St. Kilda, Hannah Nicholson, Countess of Errol, Jones Brothers, schooners, from Sydney. June 19, Anowey, ship, from Table Bay; Hollywood, barque, from Algoa Bay; Undala, s., from Adelaide; Namoa, s., Landsara, s., Condor, barque, May Byrnes, schooner, from Sydney; Annie, ketch, from Nambucca; Vallele, schooner, returned to port. Departures: June 18, Takanna, s., for Lyttelton, with 3890 tons coal; Thorntisbank, ship, for San Francisco, with 3357 tons coal; Bonaric, s., for Melbourne, with 2630 tons coal; Tagliaferro, s., for Melbourne, with 1600 tons coal, 150 bullocks; Omara, barque, for Valparaiso, with 1924 tons coal; Monowai, s., for Wellington, via Sydney, with 1930 tons coal; Wollumbin, s., for the Tweed River; St. George, s., for the Richmond River; Tumaru, s., Kurrara, s., Alice, s., Sydney, s., Vallele, Jones Brothers, schooners, for Sydney; Waterloo, ship, for San Francisco, with 3775 tons coal; Eva, s., for Wood, American schooner, for Honolulu, with 758 tons coal; Williams, s., for Port Stephens; Silver Cloud, schooner, for Auckland, with 416 tons coal; Balmain, s., for Sydney.

JARVIS BAY.—Arrivals: Ourakas, s., north, at 8.50 a.m. Arrival: June 18, cutters Emily and Lightning, from Cunningham.

MELBOURNE.—Arrival: June 18, New Guinea, s., from Newcastle: Coorac, s., from Launceston; Koonowarra, s., from Western Australia; Bulimba, s., from Sydney; Orowatta, s., from Strahan; J. C. Taylor, ketch, from Strahan; June 19, Rothwell Castle, s., from Fremantle direct; Marloo, s., from Fremantle, via Adelaide. Departures: June 18, Cintra and Rockton, s., for Sydney; Karaweera, s., for Newcastle.

CAPE OTWAY.—Inward: June 18, Jeanara, s., at 2.30 p.m., bound to Newcastle.

ADELAIDE.—Arrival: June 19, Jupiter, from New Zealand; Argyle, s., from Melbourne. Departure: June 19, Bungaree, s., for London; Wollowra, s., for Western Australia; Marie, barque, for Newcastle; Mary Wadley, barque, for Tasmania; Beagle, s., for Western Australia.

[FROM THE BOARD AT THE TELEGRAPH OFFICE.]

BYRON BAY.—Departure: June 18, Excelsior at 7.30 p.m., for Sydney.

RICHMOND RIVER.—Arrivals: June 19, Tonki at 8.50 a.m., Lilley at 9.30 a.m., Mr. George at 4.40 p.m. Departure: June 19, Lilley at 10 a.m. Clears at 7.55 a.m., 11ft. on bar, 12ft. inside.

WOOLGOOLGA.—Passed: June 19, barquentine at 6 a.m., north, Wollumbin at 8.30 a.m., north.

CLARENCE.—Departure, June 18, Australian at 8.30 a.m., City of Grafton at 1.5 p.m.

BELLINGER HEADS.—Arrival: June 18, Foster at 1.30 a.m. Departures: June 18, Alexander at 8 a.m., for Sydney. June 19, Mary Ellis at 7 a.m., for Sydney.

TACKING POINT.—Passed: June 19, Landsara at 7.30 a.m., south; Gulf of Taranto at 9.45 a.m., north.

MACLEAY HEADS.—June 19, a steamer like the Macleay anchored in trial Bay. Departures: June 18, Wyoming at 8 a.m., Burrawong at 8.45 a.m., for Sydney.

NAMBUCCA.—Departure: June 19, Eureka at 8.45 a.m. Passed: June 19, Excelsior at 1.45 p.m., south.

TRIAL BAY.—Arrivals: June 18, Australia at 7 p.m., Electra at 7 p.m., from Richmond River.

PORT MACQUARIE.—Arrivals: June 18, Premier at 6.30 a.m., Sir George at 7.20 a.m. Passed: June 19, Barooo at 7.30 a.m., north; Burimbla at 10.20 a.m., north; Kallatina at 1.20 p.m., north.

MANNING RIVER.—Arrival: June 19, Corahi at 9 a.m.

PORT STEPHENS.—Arrivals: June 19, Joker at 8.40 a.m., Empress of India, Shannon at 1.50 p.m., Stanley and Bessie Maud at 6 p.m.

CROOKHAVEN HEADS.—Arrivals: June 18, Coomonderry at 7 a.m., Illawarra at 2 p.m.

BATEMAN'S BAY.—Arrival: June 18, Bega at 7.30 a.m. from Sydney.

EDEN.—Departures: June 18, Allowrie at 8 a.m., Talert at 5 p.m.

MORUYA.—Arrival: June 18, Murray at 4 p.m.

GREEN CAPE.—Passed: June 18, Ouraka at 10.30 a.m., north; Anglian at 4.30 p.m., south.

HOBART.—Departure: June 18, Duke of Portland, for New Zealand.

DEVONPORT.—Departure: June 17, Glaucus at 10 p.m., for Sydney.

LAUNCESTON.—Departure: June 18, Pateena, for Melbourne.

FREMANTLE.—Departure: June 18, Buninyong, for Adelaide; Dovedale, for Sydney.

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METEOROLOGICAL REPORTS.

Observatory, Saturday.

Average annual rainfall for 39 years, 49·06in.
Average for 40 years from January 1 to May 31, 25·06in.
Total rainfall from January 1, 1898, to June 18, 27·28in.
Sydney standard barometer at 9 a.m. to-day, 30·14in.
Humidity: 9 a.m., 87. Noon, 67.
Temperature: Maximum, 57°; minimum, 47·7.

STATE OF BAROMETERS AT 9 A.M.

Portland, 30·22; Melbourne, 30·21; Wilson's Promontory, 30·12; Gabo Island, 30·08; Cape St. George, 30·21; Sydney, 30·15; Newcastle, 30·16; Port Macquarie, 30·17; Clarence Heads, 30·15; Brisbane, 30·14; Rockhampton, 30·15; Mackay, 30·09; Thursday Island, 30·09.

SYDNEY AT 9 A.M.

New South Wales.—Cloudy, dull to threatening more or less generally; fine and clear at a few scattered places.

Victoria and South Australia.—Cloudy to raining generally.

Queensland.—Cloudy to threatening generally and in places raining.

New Zealand.—Dull in the north, fine in central parts, showery in the south.

New Caledonia.—Generally fine but cloudy.

RAIN HAS FALLEN IN THE PREVIOUS 24 HOURS.

New South Wales.—Light and scattered, chiefly over central parts of the colony.

Queensland.—Light and scattered.

RIVER REPORTS AT 9 A.M.

Albury, 7ft. 10in.; Balranald, 1ft. 6in.; Bungeru, 10in.; Bourke, 2ft. 5in. above and 3ft. 7in. below the weir; Brewarrina, 4ft.; Deniliquin, 1ft. 8in.; Dubbo, 1ft. 11in.; Euabalong, 1ft.; Euston, 2ft. 9in.; Goolooga, low; Gundagai, 6ft.; Hay, 8in.; Hillston, 6in.; Lowth, low; Manilla, low; Menindie, 3ft.; Moulamein, low; Mungindi, 2ft. 8in.; Pongeraric, 2ft. 11in.; Tilpa, low; Toorawall, 2ft. 11in.; Wagga Wagga, 6ft. 4in.; Wentworth, 2ft. 11in.; Wilcannia, 2ft. 4in.; Yetman, low; Barwon River at Walgett, 6ft., stationary; Namoi River at Walgett, 9ft. 3in., stationary.

COASTAL REPORTS.

Saturday, at 8 p.m.—Tweed Heads, s., light, cloudy, sea moderate; Byron Bay, s., 8·W., fine, sea smooth; Ballina, S.W., cloudy, sea smooth; Clarence Heads, S., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Woolgoolga, S., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, s., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Nambucca Heads, s., light, cloudy, sea moderate; Macleay Heads, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Port Macquarie, S.S.W., light, fine, sea smooth; Port Stephens, S., light, cloudy, sea moderate; Newcastle, calm, hazy, sea smooth; Lake Macquarie Heads, S., light, fine, sea smooth; Catherine Hill Bay, S., light, fine, sea smooth; Barranjoey, S.W., light, dull, sea smooth; South Head, S.W., light, fine, sea smooth; Wollongong, W., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Kiama, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Crookhaven Heads, W., light, fine, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, S.E., light, fine, sea smooth; Ulladulla, N.E., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Bateman's Bay, N.E., light, cloudy, sea smooth; Montague, S.E., moderate, fine, sea smooth; Eden, S.S.W., light, fine, sea smooth; Green Cape, S.W., moderate, cloudy, sea slight; Gabo Island, W.S.W., moderate, cloudy, sea moderate.

At 6.30 p.m., Sunday.—Ballina, S.W., raining, sea moderate; Clarence Heads, S.W., light, cloudy like rain, sea lumpy; Wollongong, S.W., fine, cloudy, sea smooth; Bellinger Heads, s., fresh, raining, sea moderate; Nambucca Heads, S.W., showery, sea rough; Macleay Heads, S.S.W., showery, sea moderate; Port Macquarie, S.W., light, raining, sea smooth; Manning Heads, W., cloudy, sea moderate; Port Stephens, S.E., fresh, showery, sea moderate; Newcastle, S.S.W., fresh, cloudy, sea slight; Barranjoey, S., fresh, cloudy, showery, sea moderate; South Head, S.S.W., fresh, showery, sea rising; Wollongong, S.W., fresh, cloudy, sea moderate; Kiama, S., fresh, cloudy, sea smooth; Jervis Bay, S.E., fresh, fine, sea moderate; Eden, S.W., light, fine, clear, sea smooth; Green Cape, S.S.W., fresh, cloudy, fine, sea moderate; Gabo Island, S.S.W., light, cloudy, fine, sea moderate.

FORECAST AT 9 P.M.

New South Wales.—Fine, southerly winds generally, with showery weather on the western slopes and on the coast. The winds will change to northerly to-morrow, Tuesday, or W.-southerly, bringing another rainstorm over the western districts.—H. C. Russell.

ASTRONOMICAL MEMORANDA FOR JUNE 20.

Sun rises at 6.59, sets at 4.54; Moon, 7.51 a.m., 5.32 p.m.; Mercury, 6.3 a.m., 4.4 p.m.; Venus, 9.11 a.m., 7.12 p.m.; Mars, 3.5 a.m., 1.57 p.m.; Jupiter, 12.7 p.m., 12.13 a.m.; Saturn, 3.28 p.m., 6.27 a.m.

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DINNEFORD'S FLUID MA

arrived on the scene in charge of Officer S. Heinson and immediately got to work, but the flames had a good hold of the vessel, and it was some time before the well-directed energies of the firemen obtained the mastery. The flames had a complete hold of the 'tween decks, especially the engine-room, and were not extinguished before considerable damage was done to the engine-room, the linings of the deck, the boiler, and other parts in the immediate vicinity. The paddles were also considerably burnt; in fact, the appearance of the steamer when all danger was passed gave one the idea that little remained but the actual hull. The steamer was lying at Milson's Point, and at 8 p.m. on Saturday was left by the engineer and crew secure and safe, when the fires were banked for the night. The night watchman was on board at about 2 a.m., when he saw to the banking of the fires, and then there was no sign of fire. The manager of the company, Captain Summerbell, when seen by a representative of the "Herald," said that when he arrived on the scene the flames were licking the funnel; the boat appeared well alight, and the flames were not extinguished until about 4.45 a.m. There were also present Messrs. Brown and Wilson (North Shore Ferry Company), who were unable to do more than encourage the members of the M.F.B. in their good work. "How the fire originated is a mystery," said the manager. The whole of the inside is burnt, and extensive damage has been done to the steamer, which was used in the vehicular traffic between Sydney and North Shore. The extent of the damage is estimated at £800. This is fully covered by equal insurance in two offices. The matter is in the hands of the police, who have reported the matter to the City Coroner.

A PECULIAR ACCIDENT TO A 'BUS.—On Saturday afternoon one of Mr. Alexander's 'buses, while proceeding along Oxford-street, met with a peculiar mishap. When near the corner of Riley-street the driver, in order to pass a number of other vehicles, was obliged to cross to the opposite side of the street. In doing so one of the hind wheels of the 'bus became wedged in the tramline. Before the occupants of the vehicle had time to realise what was the matter the wheel broke and the spokes were scattered on the road. The 'bus toppled over into what for the passengers was a very uncomfortable angle. The 'bus was then dragged to the corner of Riley-street, where for a while it proved a source of attraction to a large number of people. Those who were in the vicinity a little later in the afternoon witnessed a similar accident to a four-wheeled vehicle belonging to Messrs. Wood and Co. The conveyance was crossing the road when one of the wheels caught in the tramline, and broke in exactly the same way.

THE CONFIDENCE TRICK.—The ways of the confidence trickster are many. One day last week a middle-aged man who was travelling to Sydney from the country entered into conversation with a stranger who occupied the same railway carriage. The stranger, so it is said, warned the countryman to beware of sharpers, and at the same time mentioned that his word could be relied on, as he was a detective. The countryman, impressed with the gravity of the information, handed his monitor the sum of £30 and a bank draft which he was afraid of losing. The two men then drank each other's health, and the countryman shortly afterwards lost his senses and his acquaintance also. On recovering his faculties he told his story to a policeman, and, still feeling very unwell after his unusual experience, obtained admission to a hospital. The bank draft is said to have been since mysteriously returned by being left in an envelope on the table of a police court.

On Saturday afternoon a number of students from the agricultural classes at the Sydney Technical College, accompanied by their instructor, Mr. Henry Lord, paid a visit to Mr. Dattmann's orchard, at Longueville, Lane Cove River, for a practical lesson in pruning fruit trees.

Alderman John Norton, M.L.A., announces that he will address the electors of Fitzroy Division at Keury's Hotel, William-street, this evening.

The 7th Volunteer Infantry Regiment (St. George's Rifles), which completed the second year of its existence on June 10 last, celebrated the anniversary of the occasion by a parade in the Centennial Park yesterday afternoon, where a religious service was held.

Mr. Blow has on view at the Crown Studios some fine photographs of the remains of Spurgeon's Tabernacle after the fire.

As will be seen from an advertisement in this issue Mr. H. W. Little will lecture in S. James' Parish Hall, Phillip-street, on Thursday next, at 8 p.m., taking for his subject the Church principles of the Right Hon. W. E. Gladstone.

The annual show of the Poultry Club of New South Wales, which was opened on Wednesday last at the Exhibition Building, was closed on Saturday evening, after having had a successful run. On Saturday the attendance was very satisfactory. Much credit is due to the hon. secretary (Mr. L. L. Ramsay) and the committee for the successful results that attended this year's show. On Saturday a number of birds were sold, and good prices were received.

On Saturday afternoon the Industrial Exhibition, held under the auspices of the Bethany High School, in St. Mary's Church of England Lecture Hall, was brought to a successful termination. On the previous afternoon Miss Snowdon Smith presented the prizes to the successful competitors, and also two presentations were made to Miss Squire, the principal of the Bethany School—one being a gong and well-lined purse, by the pupils; the other, a pair of handsome cuff links, by Mervyn and Henry Archdall.

A barman named David Maxwell Taylor died suddenly at the Courthouse Hotel, Bourke-street, Darlinghurst, on Saturday. Just before his death he had taken a bath.

James Killian, aged 25, residing at Zetland Estate, Waterloo, was taken to Prince Alfred Hospital yesterday morning suffering from a fracture of his right knee. He was in the act of taking a horse from a sulky when the animal knocked him down.

Early on Sunday morning a man named Barnabas Bane, aged 50, residing in a tent at Arncliffe, set fire to the tent, and in attempting to extinguish the flames he was severely burnt about the head, face, and hands. Dr. Sawkins admitted the man to Prince Alfred Hospital.

On Saturday morning a man named Alec Gietz, while working at Eveleigh station, received severe internal injuries through being jammed between two trucks. He was conveyed to his home at 68 Gerrard-street, Alexandria, and attended by Dr. Hodgson.

On Saturday evening a married man named Laurence Hardman, a carpenter, aged 50 years, residing with his family at Abattoir-road, Rozelle, West Balmain, was taken to the Balmain Cottage Hospital in a collapsed condition, by a young man named Kearing. It appears that Hardman, who had been drinking heavily, was found with a wound in his throat and a razor at his side.

The secretary of the Shipwreck Relief Society has received from Captain James Banks, of the steamer Barcoo (A.U.S.N. line) a sum of £4 11s, proceeds of an entertainment given on board by the Williamson Comic Opera Company on the run round to Western Australia; also £2 14s from Captain G. Savage, of the steamer Cape Otway, collected on the trip from Sydney to the Klondyke.

The annual collections in connection with small subscriptions in aid of the Balmain Hospital have reached the sum of £67 17s 3d.

FUNERAL OF THE LATE C. H. CROAKER.

WAGGA, Sunday.

The funeral of the late C. H. Croaker took place this afternoon, and was attended by several hundreds of persons, the procession taking three-quarters of an hour to pass a given point. The funeral was by far the largest ever seen in this district. A very large number of wreaths were sent, including contributions from the Murrumbidgee Pastoral and Agricultural Association, the Murrumbidgee Turf Club, the Wagga Building Society, the Wagga Cricket Association, the Riverine Club, and several other institutions with which the deceased was prominently identified. There was also a wreath from Sir George Dibbs, one of whose secretaries Mr. Croaker was on the various occasions when Sir George Dibbs contested the old Murrumbidgee seat. Mr. Croaker, with Mr. George Coleman, the present Mayor, was the initiator of the requisition to Sir George Dibbs to contest the seat here when Sir George Dibbs was defeated at St. Leonard's by Sir Henry Parkes. The remains were interred at the Wagga Cemetery, the Rev. G. A. Carver, the Anglican clergyman, officiating. Mr. Croaker leaves a widow, five sons, and three daughters. He had two brothers, Henry Croaker, of Woolville, Maitland, and Fred. Croaker, of Walhalla station, Liverpool Plains, and also one sister, who is married to Mr. Lomax, a well-known grazier. The greatest sympathy is felt on all sides with the family. Mr. Croaker was formerly the manager of the Bank of New South Wales at Tumut and here, having as a youth been in the Gympie branch, then managed by J. T. Walker, but since 1883 he has been a partner in the well-known firm of merchants of Edmondson and Co.

TO-DAY.

Canterbury Park: Pony and Galloway Meeting. First race starts at 2 p.m.

Gipps Division: Mr. W. J. Spruson's committee, Ryan's Grand Hotel, Cumberland-street, 8 p.m.

South Balmain Federal Association: Hall, Mansfield-street, Balmain, 8 p.m.

Liffle Bridge: Pony and Bicycle Races, To-night.

A Meeting of Public Servants, Aarons' Exchange Hotel, 8 p.m.

Phillip Division: Alderman John Norton, M.L.A., Keary's Hotel, William-street, 8 p.m.

Centenary Hall: Durward Lely Entertainment, 8 p.m.

Her Majesty's Theatre: "Royal Divorce," 8 p.m.

Theatre Royal: "Straight from the Heart," 8 p.m.

Tivoli Theatre: Mr. Harry Rickards's Company, 8 p.m.

Lyceum Theatre: "Sea of Ice," 8 p.m.

The Cyclorama: Opposite Redfern Railway Station.

Polytechnic and Rontgen Ray Exhibition, 82 Kingstreet.

Standard Theatre: "My Sweetheart," 8 p.m.

THE WAR.

AMERICA AND SPAIN.

MANILA IN A DESPERATE STATE.

THE CITY ALMOST FOODLESS.

NATIVE REGIMENTS DESERT.

OFFICERS MASSACRED.

A RETREAT TO THE CITADEL.

THREE THOUSAND INHABITANTS PRISONERS.

FOREIGNERS TAKE REFUGE AT CAVITE.

PROPOSED SURRENDER OVERRULED.

RESIGNATION OF THE GOVERNOR

LONDON, June 18.

The city of Manila is in a desperate condition. Provisions are almost exhausted.

The garrison is harassed day and night by the attacks of the insurgent forces.

Many of the native regiments have massacred their officers and have deserted wholesale to the besiegers.

The garrison and the Spanish residents are retiring to the walled citadel of the town.

In a determined onset on the city the besiegers succeeded in taking 3000 of the inhabitants prisoners, including the Governor's family. The prisoners are being humanely treated.

The insurgents do not molest the English residents of the city.

Most of the foreigners have taken refuge at Cavite, which is now wholly controlled by Admiral Dewey.

The Governor of Manila proposed to surrender the city, but his proposal was overruled. He immediately resigned, and General Castilla, the second in command, assumed direction of affairs.

The new Governor made desperate efforts to regain the positions which had been abandoned to the insurgents, but without success.

The Spanish troops in the provinces of the island are making a poor defence against the rebels. They are shamefully underfed, and the officers are for the most part utterly incompetent.

DEPARTURE OF THE SPANISH RESERVE FLEET.

CONVOYING TRANSPORTS.

AN ENORMOUS QUANTITY OF WAR MATERIAL.

LONDON, June 18.

Admiral Camara, the commander of the Spanish Reserve Squadron, which returned to Cadiz a few days ago, after undergoing steam trials, has left that port, the war vessels and the transports forming a fleet of 20 vessels. The transports are carrying an enormous quantity of war material.

The destination of the fleet has not been revealed; but it is thought probable that the Canaries will be the first place at which it will touch.

Admiral Camara sent a farewell message to Queen Christina, "I will fight to the death."

GERMAN AND SPANISH OFFICERS.

CORDIAL RELATIONS IN THE PHILIPPINES.

LONDON, June 18.

The officers of the German warships which have been sent to the Philippines are on very cordial terms with the Spanish officers.

Captain Obenheimer, who is in command of H.I.G.M.S. Irene, has declared that the United States will not be permitted to annex the Philippines while William II. is Kaiser.

THE INVASION OF HAVANA.

POSTPONED UNTIL AUTUMN.

LONDON, June 19.

The invasion of Havana has been postponed until autumn.

The Americans have equipped 8000 rebels, who will co-operate in the attack upon Santiago.

SPANISH LOAN.

LONDON, June 17.

The Bank of Spain has placed the sum of 28,000,000 francs (£1,108,000) to the credit of the war fund.

PROVISIONS OF SANTIAGO.

LONDON, June 17.

Admiral Cerverna has reported to his Government that there are sufficient provisions in Santiago de Cuba to enable the fleet and the town to hold out until the autumn.

(A portion of the above appeared in our second edition on Saturday.)

POLITICAL SITUATION IN FRANCE.

THE FRENCH CABINET.

LONDON, June 19.

M. Ribot, who had been entrusted with the task of forming a new Administration after the resignation of M. Meline, has declined the task. The President has now summoned M. Sarrien, and asked him to form a Ministry.

LIGHT-WEIGHT COINS IN H.M.S. ORLANDO.

THE COINS TO BE RETURNED TO AUSTRALIA.

LONDON, June 17.

An Admiralty order has been issued prohibiting the circulation of light-weight half-sovereigns minted in Australia, which were carried in the treasure-chest of H.M.S. Orlando.

The order directs that the coins must be returned to Australia.

A FOOL AND HIS MONEY are soon parted, but even a fool would not part with his FOUR CROWN WHISKY.—Advt.

SPECIAL CABLES.

FROM THE "HERALD'S" LONDON CORRESPONDENTS.

DEFENCE OF THE EMPIRE.

COLONIAL CONTRIBUTIONS.

QUESTION IN THE HOUSE OF COMMONS.

LONDON, June 18.

In the House of Commons last night Mr. Arnold Forster asked if the Australasian colonies had been requested to contribute towards the cost of the defence of Wei-hai-wei.

Mr. Arthur Balfour, in reply, said that Mr. Arnold Forster had touched a matter greatly exceeding in importance the mere question of colonial contributions to the cost of putting the harbour of Wei-hai-wei and the peninsula of Kowloon, opposite Hongkong, in a defensive state. Colonial contributions towards the defence of the Empire must, he said, be examined as a whole.

ANTI-SEMITIC RIOTS IN AUSTRIA.

SIX RIOTERS KILLED.

LONDON, June 17.

Anti-Semitic riots have broken out in the vicinity of Rzeszow, a town in the Austrian province of Galicia. The rioters broke open the warehouses of the Jews and looted them.

Ultimately, the gendarmes, in order to quell the disturbance, fired on the mob, killing six men.

ALBANIANS AND CHRISTIANS.

FIGHTING ON THE FRONTIER.

ELEVEN CHRISTIAN VILLAGES BURNED.

LONDON, June 17.

It is reported from Cettigne, the capital of Montenegro, that the Albanians and the Christians are again fighting on the Turkish frontier. Eleven Christian villages have been burned and many Christians have been killed.

The Porte is sending troops from Uskub to quell the disturbance.

THE BRITISH NAVY.

ADDITIONS TO THE SHIPBUILDING PROGRAMME.

LONDON, June 18.

In the House of Commons last night, Mr. Goschen (First Lord of the Admiralty) promised that additions would be made to the shipbuilding programme of the Navy.

A week ago Lord Charles Beresford urged on the Government the expenditure of £35,000,000 in the strengthening of the Navy by the construction of 21 battleships, 24 cruisers, and 50 torpedo-boat destroyers.

BRITISH NAVAL MANŒUVRES CANCELLED.

SENSATION IN ENGLAND.

LONDON, June 19.

The British Admiralty has cancelled the arrangements for the annual naval manœuvres. This action has caused a great sensation throughout England. The issue of this order is attributed to the coal strike.

CRETE.

ANOTHER APPEAL TO THE POWERS.

LONDON, June 17.

The Cretans are appealing to the Powers to make a prompt settlement of the government of the island, and appoint a governor at once.

THE ISLAND OF DOMINICA.

MR. CHAMBERLAIN'S OFFER REJECTED.

LONDON, June 17.

The island of Dominica has rejected the offer of financial assistance made by Mr. Chamberlain on condition that it became a Crown colony.

THE GERMAN ELECTIONS.

LONDON, June 17.

So far the German elections have resulted in a gain of 25 seats by the Socialist party.

AUSTRALIAN ART EXHIBITION.

SALE OF PICTURES.

LONDON, June 18.

The Australian Art Exhibition closes at the end of July. Twenty-two of the Art Society's pictures were sold for £768. Eleven pictures of the Society of Artists were sold for £86. Eighteen Victorian, Queensland, and South Australian pictures were sold for £282. Mr. Piguenit sold five pictures for £433, and Mr. Lister sold two for £127.

SILVER.

LONDON, June 17.

Bar silver is quoted to-day at 2s 2 11-16d per ounce standard.

(Some of the above items appeared in our Second Edition on Saturday.)

THE DEFINITION OF AN ABORIGINAL.

MORREE, Saturday.

At the police court yesterday Mrs. Taylor, wife of the licensee of Tattersall's Hotel, was summoned on a charge of having supplied rum to a half-caste aboriginal girl named Martha Gross. Senior-sergeant Fountney stated that the girl had been living with her mother on an aboriginal reserve on East Moree for the past two years and a half, and had been receiving Government rations. She was as light in colour as many white women. There were now camped on the reserve 33 half-castes and 14 full-blooded blacks. The girl, under examination, said her mother was a half-caste and her father a white man. Mr. Zlotkowski, for the defence, urged that the girl did not come within the provisions of the Act. The Bench, consisting of three honorary magistrates and the police magistrate, by majority dismissed the case, the police magistrate dissenting.

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THE FAR EAST.

SIR CLAUDE MACDONALD AND LI HUNG CHANG.

A VIOLENT ALTERCATION.

LONDON, June 18.

A violent altercation has taken place between Sir Claude Macdonald, the British Ambassador at Pekin, and Li Hung Chang, respecting the concessions which China had made to Russia.

THE FATE OF CHINA.

ARMY AND NAVY REFORM.

LONDON, June 18.

Lord Salisbury, speaking in the House of Lords, said that although an immediate catastrophe in regard to China was unexpected, there was only one issue unless her army and navy were thoroughly reorganised. China seemed willing that Captain Lang should reorganise the navy, and negotiations were now proceeding to secure for him men and a free hand. Lord Salisbury added that the Foreign Office would use every effort to support English capitalists.

A HIGH CHINESE OFFICAL DISMISSED.

KNOWN TO BE AN ANGLOPHILE.

LONDON, June 18.

Through the influence of Li Hung Chang, Weng-tung-ho, an imperial tutor, the head of the Revenue Department of China, and a member of the Tsung-li-yamen, who is known to be friendly to Great Britain, has been dismissed from his offices.

POLITICAL CRISIS IN ITALY.

RESIGNATION OF THE PREMIER.

LONDON, June 19.

The Marquis di Rudini, Premier of Italy, whose proposals for suppressing the revolutionary movement by adopting measures which amounted to a suspension of the civil rights of the citizens were met with a vote of censure, has resigned.

It is declared by the Marquis di Rudini that his silence respecting the revolution in Milan was intended to assist in the pacification of the place, and that he looked upon that as being the only way to save the nation and to rally support to the King.

NATIONAL MORTGAGE AND AGENCY CO. OF N.Z.

LONDON, June 19.

The National Mortgage and Agency Company of New Zealand, Limited, has declared a dividend of 5 per cent.

OBITUARY.

LONDON, June 17.

The death is announced of Sir Edward Coley Burne-Jones, Bt., the celebrated painter, at the age of 65 years.

QUEENSLAND.

CHILLAGOE PROPRIETARY COMPANY.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

The Minister for Lands paid a visit to Barron Falls, near Cairns, for the purpose of inquiring into the proposal from the Chillagoe Proprietary Company for the lease of 25 acres of land alongside the Barron River. It is the intention of the company to utilise the stream in order to produce motive power for electrolytic works in the treatment of Chillagoe ores. The plans propose to divert the water from the river some distance above the falls, returning the water into the river below the falls. The Minister for Lands carefully considered and inspected the proposed scene of operations under the guidance of the company's engineer, Mr. Chapman. The company requires to produce 3000 to 10,000 horse power. Several prominent residents of Cairns accompanied the Minister. After inspection of the plans the general opinion formed was that so long as the natural beauties of the falls are not impaired the project was a very desirable one.

ANNUAL ENCAMPMENT.

The annual encampment of the Queensland military, southern division of the colony, commenced on Saturday at Lytton. Major-General French and three officers of the New South Wales force arrive on Tuesday. There are now 88 officers and 1039 rank and file; total 1127. The arrangements are perfect, and the weather is cold but fine. All branches of the permanent forces are represented.

In order to test the efficacy or otherwise of chicken cholera germs for destroying rabbits, the Central Rabbit Board has ordered Inspector Dudgeon to make extensive experiments in certain paddocks under the control of the Warrego Rabbit Board.

Difficulties have arisen between the Queensland and South Australian Governments concerning the Chinese who recently crossed into Queensland from the Northern Territory. South Australia doubts whether the Chinese arrested at Cunnamoweal actually did come from the Northern Territory. The question of deporting the Chinese, therefore, is held in abeyance.

It is understood that Sir Hugh Nelson is preparing a report on the New Guinea concession, which will shortly be forwarded to the Government.

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

GOVERNMENT RAILWAY PROPOSALS.

GERALDTON, Sunday.

The inclusion in the Government railway programme of the proposal to extend the railway from Menzies to Mount Leonara has aroused indignation at Geraldton, where the proposal is regarded as a scheme to divert trade to Perth which legitimately belongs to Geraldton. A public meeting is to be called to consider the question.

THE TICK PEST.

PERTH, Sunday.

In response to a request for further particulars as to the prevalence of tick east of Kimberley, the Stock Department has received a further wire from Mr. Hancock to-day, stating that he observed 2627 cattle with tick on them. This, however, did not represent the actual number infested. No mortality had so far occurred, but the fatal form was expected in the autumn. No mention was made in the wire as to whether the cattle infested were poor or fat.

The Premier, interviewed yesterday, said the Menzies, Mount Malcolm, and Leonora line must ultimately be extended to Lawlers.

It is considered probable that when the Government railway programme comes before the Parliament an attempt will be made by Kalgoorlie interests to secure an alteration in the starting place of the Norseman railway from Coolgardie to Kalgoorlie.

MELBOURNE FRUIT MARKET.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

In the Queen Victoria market yesterday morning fruits realised the following prices:—Apples, 2s to 7s per case; oranges, 3s to 5s ditto; lemons, 5s to 7s ditto; melons preserving, 3d to 6d each; pears, culinary, 2s 6d to 4s per case; ditto dessert, 4s to 8s ditto.

VICTORIA.

NEW GUINEA LAND SYNDICATE.

STATEMENT BY SIR GEORGE TURNER.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

In the correspondence and cable messages which have passed between the Governor of Queensland and the Secretary of State for the Colonies with respect to the grant of 250,000 acres of land in New Guinea to a London syndicate, it is stated by Mr. Chamberlain that he presumed Sir Hugh Nelson, the ex-Premier of Queensland, had informed the Premiers of the two contributing colonies—New South Wales and Victoria—of the negotiations with the syndicate. Sir George Turner states, however, that he knew nothing of the matter until he saw it in the newspapers about a month ago. He is confident that no mention was made of the syndicate or its transactions at the conference of Premiers in Melbourne in January last to consider several matters appertaining to the continuance of British rule in New Guinea, and in this he is supported by the shorthand notes of the proceedings. He is now in receipt of the ordinance containing particulars of the concessions to be granted to the syndicate, and also the amendments suggested by Mr. Chamberlain. It is his intention to carefully study these documents, and he will probably come to a decision respecting the matter this week.

At the Oaklands Hunt Club races yesterday in the Hunters' Hurdle Race Mr. P. Fleming got a nasty fall off Raleigh, causing concussion of the brain.

The steamer Bothwell Castle arrived this morning from Fremantle direct. She was two days overdue. The delay was caused by exceptionally tempestuous weather in the Great Australian Bight, where the winds blew with hurricane strength and mountainous seas played havoc with all the movable objects on deck.

The Government has decided, by way of encouragement to the flax industry, to continue the offer of a bonus of £2 per acre for all flax sown, cultivated, and harvested to the satisfaction of the Government expert.

The "Little Minister" continues to draw large audiences to the Princess Theatre. The building was crowded last night, and the performance was followed with keen interest. The "Silver King," with Mr. Titheradge as Wilfred Denver, was produced at the Theatre Royal last night. The ever-green popularity of this play was shown by the fact that scores of people had to be turned away from the doors owing to the lack of accommodation. Mr. Titheradge's performance was a specially fine one, but he was indifferently supported. The attractions provided by Mr Harry Rickards at the Opera House continue to fill the building nightly. The series of popular concerts by the Newbury-Spada Company was brought to a successful close in the Town Hall last night. At the Bijou Theatre a creditable amateur performance of "La Perichole" was given by the Victorian Operatic Society.

The Melbourne Clearing-house returns for the week ended June 13 amounted to £2,385,908, showing a decrease of £461,001 as compared with the corresponding week of last year. The total clearances since January 1 amount to £62,502,092, showing a decrease of £290,509 as compared with the corresponding period of last year.

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

LEAVE OF ABSENCE TO THE GOVERNOR.

ADELAIDE, Sunday.

The Governor, Sir F. Buxton, Lady Victoria Buxton, and the Misses Buxton have booked berths in the P. and O. liner Himalaya, which sails for London on Thursday. Sir Fowell will be back at the expiration of his leave of six months, but it is understood to be uncertain whether Lady Victoria will return, as the heat has been found to be very trying.

TASMANIA.

THE WRECK OF THE GRAFTON.

THE CAPTAIN'S CERTIFICATE SUSPENDED.

LAUNCESTON, Sunday.

The official inquiry into the wreck of the Grafton at the entrance to Macquarie Harbour was held on Saturday. Captain Morrisby's certificate was suspended for two months for an error of judgment in not going into the south side of the passage after striking heavily on the bar, and making great leakage. The wreck was offered for sale. Captain Miles bought the hull for £200, and the Lyell Company the cargo for £250.

NEW ZEALAND.

THE RAINFALL.

A HEAVY FLOOD.

AUCKLAND, Sunday.

The heavy rainfall has caused the worst flood experienced for years in the Hutt Valley, near Wellington. Considerable damage has been done.

STRANGE AFFAIR AT BROKEN HILL.

HOLDING A CORPSE FOR DEBT.

THE DOCTOR AND THE UNDERTAKER.

BROKEN HILL, Sunday.

A painful scene occurred at the hospital yesterday afternoon. A man named Tiller, for some weeks a patient at the institution, died on Friday afternoon, owing £12 14s for maintenance, which he had personally guaranteed to pay upon admission. The funeral was fixed for yesterday afternoon, but when the undertaker, relatives, and friends attended, Dr. Seabrook, the resident surgeon, refused to allow the body to be removed. The undertaker, Mr. Jabez Wright, made the following statement:—"I came to take away the body of a man named Tiller, whom I have been engaged by his friends to bury. He is, I believe, without estate, and the costs of burial have been guaranteed me by his friends, including a brother-in-law, who is now here. The doctor refuses to allow the body to be removed, his ground being that he holds the body as a lien for payment of maintenance, and he informs me that he is acting under the instructions of the committee of the hospital. Of course I am powerless, I cannot bury the body, and I shall tell his friends so, and we will have to go away." The undertaker also stated that he had arranged with the matron in the morning for the funeral that afternoon.

Dr. Seabrook is reported to have said: "Yes; I have delayed burial until I find out who is going to pay the accumulated maintenance and charges which the patient undertook to pay. I am simply carrying out the instructions given by the committee that I am to look after these maintenance fees. If Mr. Wright gets an order from the chairman of the committee, that will relieve me of my position, which is most unpleasant, as you must see."

"But did you not know that the funeral was fixed for this afternoon," asked the undertaker. "So that you might have made the demand earlier."

"No; I did not know it was proposed to hold the funeral," replied the doctor, "till I saw the hearse come in."

"And did not you know his friends?"

"No," replied the doctor. "The guarantee was a personal one made by the patient."

The chairman of the hospital board has since taken the affair in hand, and has given a certificate for burial. The funeral took place to-day.

A special meeting of the committee of the hospital will be held on Monday to consider the question in all its bearings.

PASTORAL INTELLIGENCE.

ALBURY, Saturday.

Delay is frequently occasioned to the transit of stock by rail owing to neglect of owners or drovers to provide themselves with the necessary travelling permit from the inspector at starting.

Stock movements: 3400 sheep, 285 cattle, from other districts to Albury, various owners; 70 fat bullocks, Berrima to Melbourne, W. A. Webb; 300 merino wethers, Albury to Burrangong, C. Finley; 14 fat wethers, Albury to Wodonga, F. Boyes; 14 fat cattle, Albury to Chiltern, J. T. Martin; 500 crossbred ewes, Howlong to Corowa, W. J. Cowan.

GLEN INNES, Saturday.

Stock movements since last report:—501 store bullocks, Bolivia to Martindale, E. White owner; 497 store bullocks, Bonshaw to Ramornie, Tindall and Son owners; 80 fat cows, Strathbogie to Flemington, H. Brooks owner; 50 fat bullocks, Bromfield to Flemington, N. C. Bucknell owner; 150 fat bullocks, Tooloom to Flemington, Bank of New South Wales owners; 60 fat bullocks, Clifton to Flemington, Burrow Brothers owners; 66 fat cows, Maidenhead to Flemington, A.J.S. Bank owners; 271 fat sheep, Inverell station to Flemington, Campbell Brothers owners; 300 fat sheep, Albion Park to Flemington, P. H. Eddy owner; 180 stud ewes, Colloroy to Inverell, Campbell Brothers owners; 10 fat cattle, Carpet Snake to Glen Innes, A. Wesley owner.

SECOND EDITION.

LATEST WAR NEWS.

THE SPANISH RESERVE FLEET.

A THIRD SQUADRON ORGANISING.

LONDON, June 19.

A third squadron of 12 cruisers is being organised.

Six transports with 4000 troops are accompanying Admiral Camara, who yesterday left Cadiz with a fleet of 20 vessels for the Canaries.

FRICTION IN THE AMERICAN WAR DEPARTMENT.

LONDON, June 19.

It is reported that friction exists between Mr. R. A. Alger, United States Secretary for War, and General N. A. Miles, the Commander-in-Chief of the army, concerning the plan of campaign.

REVOLT IN AFRICA.

VICTORY BY BRITISH TROOPS.

LONDON, June 19.

The Angoni tribe, who inhabit the district in British South Africa to the south-west of Nyassaland, rebelled, and an engagement ensued between them and the British. An impi of 2000 was defeated by 200 British troops.

TURKEY AND THE TRIPLE ALLIANCE.

LONDON, June 19.

It is reported in Vienna that Turkey intends to join the Triple Alliance.

A MEMENTO OF WATERLOO.

LONDON, June 19.

The Emperor William of Germany, who is honorary Colonel of the First Royal Dragoons, has presented that regiment with a golden wreath of laurels as a memento of the battle of Waterloo.

THE BACILLUS OF YELLOW FEVER.

LONDON, June 19.

Dr. Sanarelli, an Italian physician and a pupil of the late M. Pasteur, claims to have discovered the bacillus of yellow fever.

A VICTORIAN PRESENT TO THE QUEEN.

LONDON, June 19.

The wallabies and kangaroos which were presented to the Queen by the Victorians, and which were shipped by the s.s. Narrung have arrived well. They are to be placed on the Prince Consort's farm at Windsor. One wallaby jumped overboard during the voyage and was drowned.

A SIMS REEVES FUND.

LONDON, June 19.

At the request of the Duke of Portland, and Baron Rothschild, the London "Daily Telegraph" has opened a fund for the benefit of Mr. Sims Reeves.

COUNTRY NEWS.

JAMBEROO DAIRIES.

KIAMA, Saturday.

At a meeting of the borough council of Jamberoo to-day a letter was received from the local inspector of dairies forwarding his quarterly report of inspection of the dairy herds and premises in the borough. The report shows that the inspection covered 147 dairy premises and an aggregate of 5690 head of cattle, out of which only 50 head were found not up to the standard of health required by the provisions of the Dairies Supervision Act. The council considered the inspector's report most satisfactory, seeing that less than 1 per cent. of the cattle in the borough show any symptoms of disease. The report was also considered most satisfactory in regard to the sanitary condition of the dairy premises.

RETIREMENT OF DR. HOLLIS, M.L.A.

GOULBURN, Saturday.

Dr. Hollis, in announcing his retirement to the electors, states his health for the present is not equal to the strain which Parliamentary life demands. He feels sure in the impending struggle Goulburn will return a candidate of the broadest and most democratic sympathies.

Mr. Ashton has accepted the invitation of the local branch of the Anti-Convention Bill League to contest the seat. Mr. J. J. Richardson, ex Mayor, advertises his candidature to-day.

The local branch of the Federal League will nominate candidates at the next meeting.

AFTER EIGHT YEARS.

A MOTHER TRIES TO SECURE HER CHILD.

LISMORE, Saturday.

A case came before the police court to-day where the mother of a child after an absence of about eight years came and took her away from the family who had kept her since she was a mere infant. The mother was brought back on a warrant charged with abduction. The Bench dismissed the case. When the parties were leaving the court a scramble took place to get possession of the child, who was secured by those who had been her protectors.

BALRANALD, Saturday.

A well-attended meeting of the supporters of Sir Joseph Abbott was held last night, and a strong committee was formed. Mr. Scobie, the labour candidate, is already in the field.

BYRON BAY, Saturday.

Only a fifth of the town lands put up to auction yesterday was sold. The upset price in some cases was as high as £150 for a quarter-acre. This is considered too high.

CARCOAR, Sunday.

Heavy showers of rain fell here on Friday night and yesterday morning. It cleared off towards evening, resulting in a very severe frost. A keen sharp wind was blowing to-day. Thirty-five points of rain were registered.

COOLAMON, Saturday.

To-day was terribly cold. It is still cloudy, dull, and threatening.

DENILIQUIN, Saturday.

The weather is still overcast. Grass is growing well as a consequence of nearly 3 inches of rain during the past month.

FORBES, Saturday.

It was reported to the police this morning that a drover named Sutcliffe had dropped dead at Iron Bridge.

About an inch and a half of rain has fallen this week. Everything is looking well.

GRAFTON, Sunday.

The Bishop of Grafton and Armidale to-day dedicated the new church at Alumy Creek. His Lordship, who addressed a crowded congregation, expressed satisfaction at the large number of new churches erected throughout the diocese during the past four or five years, which he recognised as an indication of the rapid extension of Church work.

GUNNING, Saturday.

At a meeting of protectionists held at Chisholm's Hotel to-day, Mr. E. J. Reardon was selected as delegate to represent Gunning at the conference of the Yass Protectionist League.

Heavy showers have fallen throughout the week, 119 points being recorded.

SUTHERLAND, Sunday.

Regret was expressed in this district when it became known that Mr. Edward Higgs had expired at his residence, Sutherland. Deceased was one of the oldest officers in connection with the New South Wales railways. Entering the service as a young man, he rapidly advanced in the service to the position of inspector on the Northern line, holding that position for some years prior to the connection being made between Strathfield and Newcastle. Mr. Higgs had been in receipt of a pension for some years past. The interment of the remains took place in the Church of England portion of the Woronora Cemetery, Sutherland, this afternoon, in the presence of a large number of relatives and friends of deceased.

OPENING OF PARLIAMENT.

OFFICIAL PROCEEDINGS.

THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.

The fourth and final session of the seventeenth Parliament of New South Wales will be opened by the Governor at noon to-morrow. The ceremony will be of the usual character, the chief portion taking place in the Legislative Council Chamber. In this place there will be the customary gathering of members of both Houses and the public to hear the speech from the throne. After the Governor has arrived and taken his seat in the Legislative Council Chamber the Speaker and members of the Legislative Assembly will be sent for. When they come in the speech will be read, the Governor will depart, and once more the old Parliamentary buildings in Macquarie-street will resound with political eloquence. But it will not be for long. Parliament expires by effluxion of time on August 10—that is to say, in seven weeks, and, as the general expectation is that the elections will come about the end of July, the session is not likely to last more than three weeks.

So far as the proceedings in the Legislative Assembly are concerned to-morrow, the arrangements are as follows:—The House will meet at noon pursuant to the Governor's proclamation. The Speaker (Sir Joseph Abbott) will take the chair at that hour, and the Clerk (Mr. F. W. Webb, C.M.G.) will read the proclamation convening Parliament for the despatch of business. The Speaker will then report the return of the writs showing the election of Mr. John Norton for Fitzroy and Mr. Hugh Ross for Narrabri. This done, the House will wait for the message from the Governor, to be delivered by Black Rod, for members of the Assembly to go to the Council to hear the Governor's speech read. On the return of the House from the Council, it will adjourn till the usual hour (half-past 4) to-morrow afternoon.

On reassembling in the afternoon, the Speaker will report that during the recess the Governor's assent has been given to a number of bills. Notices of motion will then be in order, and the pro forma bill—the Ordnance Land Transfer Bill—will be read the first time. The object of this curious formality is to declare the right of the Assembly to deal with matters not referred to in the Governor's speech and to show the independence of the Assembly. The Speaker will then read a copy of the Governor's speech, and a motion will be moved for a select committee to draw up an Address in Reply. The committee will retire and prepare the address, and when it is brought up it will be read by the Clerk, and debate will ensue.

It is understood that the Government hopes to be able to complete all the necessary business of the approaching session in two weeks; and as the first week will in all probability be taken up by the debate on the Address in Reply it is regarded as very unlikely that there will be time for any private members' business. Indeed it is pointed out that it would really be an absurdity to go on with any private members' business in so brief a session at the end of a Parliament, because even if a member succeeded in advancing a bill one or more stages, but not get it finally passed, it could not be revived in the new Parliament, as happens now from session to session.

THE GOVERNOR'S SPEECH.

In addition to the amendments of the Commonwealth Bill which the Government proposes to bring forward, and which are dealt with fully in another column, it is understood that the Governor's Speech to-morrow will contain references to a number of items of local politics, which Ministers hold cannot be neglected, even though federation is bound to become an important at the forthcoming elections. One of the most important matters in connection with local affairs will probably be the passage of an Act to retain the £3 per ton duty on imported sugar. The Port Kembla Harbour Bill has reached the Upper House, and it is probable that the Government will endeavour to get this measure through the finish. The Bill for two Aliens Restriction Bills are in a similar position, and probably an attempt will also be made to get them enacted before Parliament dissolves. It is likely also that reference will be made in

handed over by Mr. Want to Sir George Dibbs. On interviewing Sir George Dibbs on Saturday respecting the future movements of that body he said: "I don't know anything more about the changes that have taken place than what I saw in the newspapers. Dr. MacLaurin, meeting me in the street, asked me to become president, and I said, "Very well." I shall not know what the league is going to do until I meet it next week. Of course, the president will not draw up the policy of the league. That will be done by the executive."

INTERVIEW WITH MR. BARTON, Q.C., M.L.C.

HIS OPINION OF THE CABINET'S AMENDMENTS.

PRELIMINARY EXPLANATION OF THE FEDERAL POSITION.

IMPORTANT ANNOUNCEMENT REGARDING THE BILL.

THE FISCAL QUESTION AN IMPOSSIBLE FACTOR.

"SLAMMING THE DOOR ON FEDERATION."

A representative of the "Herald" waited upon Mr. Barton, Q.C., M.L.C., on Saturday with the object of ascertaining his views on the federal situation. In the course of the interview Mr. Barton remarked:—"It has been persistently asserted, though not by the "Sydney Morning Herald," that I would endeavour at the general election 'to cram the bill, the whole bill, and nothing but the bill, down the throats of the people of New South Wales.' In the first place, no one can cram anything down the throats of the people, as those who make the statement will speedily discover. The decision of the people at the general election on the policies presented to them will be voluntary, and any supposition to the contrary is an insult to the free intelligence of the people. It is true I consider the bill drafted by the Convention a just and liberal measure—more just and liberal than any constitution ever presented to a free people—but I do not see why it should be alleged that I have said that the question for the people at the next general election to decide is whether they will have this bill or nothing. I have never said anything of the kind."

"You do not consider that the next election will be in a measure another referendum on the Commonwealth Bill?"

"Certainly not. The question to be settled by the people is:—'In whose hands will you leave the settlement of your vital interests?' Clearly adhesion to that question is the further one—'What are the vital issues at stake at the present time?' No one can doubt that it is vital to the interests of every colony of Australia to be united in a reasonable federation. Even the most anti-federal of those who opposed the bill have been afraid to deny that proposition. While I am sure that this bill would afford the means of a reasonable federation, I also hold that it is desirable New South Wales should enter a federation with the consent of a larger majority of her people. It will be my aim to assist New South Wales to achieve that result. It is true that the alteration of the minimum affirmative vote from 50,000 to 80,000 was an utter breach of faith with the other colonies. It is also true that the people of New South Wales might justly, and for their own honour, repudiate that breach of faith by giving the necessary majority to remove the stain upon them. But I do not hold that the new Parliament will be bound to ask for or exercise that power."

"Some people hold that the principal question which should concern the people at the next election is the necessity for securing trade."

"No. The practical question confronting us now is larger than that. It is—(1) 'Shall we federate as early as possible upon the most reasonable terms to be obtained;' and if we, as a people, hold that opinion, (2) shall we leave the achievement of that great result in the hands of, or, what is worse, to be sold or double-dealing, as well as to an alliance between a professed federalist and one who disputed with him his ancient honour of being the arch enemy of federation; or (3) shall we leave the conduct of our national movement in the hands of those whose earnestness and sincerity are beyond a doubt?"

"Then you consider the door should be left open to constitutional amendment in this bill?"

"I certainly think so, if you give due weight to the word 'constitutional.' The constitution cannot be amended merely by the conferences of Premiers. It is necessary that any amendments to be submitted should first be formulated, for all the federating colonies, by representative authority, and should next be submitted without trammel or condition, without trick or subterfuge, to a decision of a majority of the people. With that condition annexed the conference of Premiers might act as a representative authority."

"Has the attitude of the Premier had anything to do with the disinclination of the Premiers of the other colonies to agree to a conference?"

"It is plain," answered Mr. Barton, "that most of the other colonies decline to be played with any longer by Mr. Reid. It is true that Sir George Turner was ready to confer, provided the basis of the conference was intelligibly laid down by Mr. Reid, but Sir George Turner could not, in justice to his electors, be expected to enter a conference before knowing what he was to confer about. Moreover, Sir George Turner rightly repudiated the idea of being willing to enter a conference with the view of uniting New South Wales with Queensland to the detriment, as he puts it, of the other colonies. I would ask any reasonable man whether it was not infamous to make such a proposal. One of two consequences would result from the federation of New South Wales, Victoria, and Queensland to the exclusion of South Australia, Tasmania, and Western Australia. One of them might be that the latter colonies would be forced into the union on terms which they considered unjust. That would open up a vista of dictation and domination which the mind of man could not conceive. The idea is opposed to the very spirit of federation. Another consequence might be that the smaller colonies would refuse the terms offered by the larger ones and form a federation of their own. Consider the vista that opens out. Where would inter-colonial freetrade be? What would become of the sacredness of Australian soil? Where would be the spirit of peace that the true federalist hopes will reign eternally over federated Australia? On what terms would Mr. Reid and Mr. Want settle the rivers question then? How would they adjust the respective rights of the State-owned railways? How would they be able to render assistance to the remainder of Australia when threatened by a foreign invader? How could they expect to obtain such assistance if they were invaded themselves? The very proposal is a suggestion of insecurity, discord, and, possibly, bloodshed, from which the mind of the true federalist recoils with horror."

"You hold, therefore, that the existence of two federations would be a condition of weakness and not strength?"

"It was the very fact that the British possessions in North America were bound together under the Dominion of Canada which caused the Canadian Premier, Sir Wilfred Laurier, to stand, in the estimation of the people of England, head and shoulders above the Premiers of the dissevered Australian provinces at the jubilee celebrations. That prestige and importance was due to the feeling that Canada was a mighty factor of the British Empire, safe in her internal peace and potent for the integrity of the British dominions. Where do we find the germs of such a result in a proposal which pretends to federate Australia by means of setting her by the ears? What does Queensland herself say? Is not the Brisbane "Courier" the strongest voice of Queensland opinion, and is it not regarded as indispensable to the life of the present Queensland Ministry? Last Monday that journal said:—'If there is a choice between a partial and a complete federation, between being reunited to New South Wales to the extent that common interests exist and becoming one of the provinces of United Australia, surely our decision should be in favour of the broad proposal. When continental nationality is possible, why should we be content with less?'"

"Notwithstanding Mr. Reid's failure to obtain a conference," continued Mr. Barton, "I do not think that the door is closed to the early federation of the whole of Australia."

"You are still hopeful that the labours of the three Federal Conventions will not be lost?"

"Most assuredly," said Mr. Barton, "but this early federation of the whole of Australia cannot be obtained by turning our backs to the other colonies, and our face to Queensland. There is a chance of attaining this desirable end if the cause of federation is left by the people at the coming election to those with whom negotiations are possible, and not to those who have slammed the door in the face of their neighbours."

"Do you think the fiscal issue will be a factor in the coming elections?"

"Certainly not. If the people of New South Wales are as desirous of federation as I thoroughly believe they are, then the time is rapidly approaching when the power to frame a customs tariff will be removed from the hands of the different colonies, and placed in those of the Federal Parliament. If a protectionist Government took office in New South Wales at the commencement of the new Parliament, and imposed a protective tariff, it could only operate for a few months, say, at the outside, for two years. There could be no justification whatever in entirely altering the fiscal conditions of the country for so short a time, unless some of the benefits which protectionist expect to flow from a change of tariff were obtained within the time. That seems to be impossible."

"Why impossible?"

"If an altered tariff had any guarantee of permanency than those who favoured it might expect the colony to realise some benefit from the alteration, but the very conditions deny permanency to the altered tariff, and no one of any fiscal faith pretends that his particular form of policy will achieve any beneficial result if it is limited to a short period of operation. Consequently a reversal of the present tariff would have the effect of unsettling the conditions of trade and commerce without any consequent effect of increased prosperity. There is another aspect in which it would be entirely wrong to agitate for a reversal of tariff conditions. It is this. Federation cannot be achieved here or anywhere else without an alliance between men of opposite fiscal faiths who hold the achievement of nationhood higher than any temporary fiscal success. The nation will be the maker of its own tariff, and if the time for it to take in hand the task is rapidly approaching those who differ about provincial tariffs are under the clear duty of abandoning any conflict over customs duties, so as to enable the maker of an Australian tariff to begin her functions. The people of Australia will decide for themselves whether they will be freetraders or protectionists."

"I have often said," continued Mr. Barton, "that a protectionist should prefer a federation which brings external as well as internal freetrade to no federation at all. On the other hand, I equally expect freetraders to support federation even if the result of a fiscal controversy in the Federal Parliament happens to be in favour of external protection. In either case intercolonial freetrade would be secured, which is as much an object to be desired by protectionists as by freetraders. I can say this frankly, that if I obtain a seat in the new Parliament I shall consider it not only impolitic, but unjust, to endeavour to alter the fiscal conditions of the colony for the short period which is to elapse between now and the consummation of federation. Recollect that we are now nearer federation than we have ever been before. Three colonies have adopted the federal constitution by large majorities, whilst the adoption of it in another colony has been defeated by a technical block that enemies have placed upon the rails which the freight train of federation has to traverse."

"Then what is your solution of the difficulty?"

"What remains to be done is for the people to give the new Parliament a mandate to achieve federation, not upon the 'stand and deliver' terms of Cloud Dorval, but upon terms to which, after negotiating, all the colonies can with honour consent. With federation almost within our embrace, why need we palter now about an altered customs tariff, which at the most could only prevail for a few months intervening between now and the establishment of the Commonwealth?"

"Is there any truth in the rumours made that you are likely to issue a manifesto to the country at once?"

"When the House is dissolved the Premier will issue his manifesto. Anything I have to say will be in the shape of an address to a constituency, but I cannot name the address until after the dissolution."

"What is your opinion regarding the reunion of Mr. Want with the Ministry?"

"I think the 'Herald' has dealt very ably with that matter. I quite agree with Mr. Want that the Cabinet has come to him, and not he to the Cabinet. Mr. Want is the most deadly of the open enemies of federation—and herein I would distinguish between the man who wields a club and the slow poisoner—hence the true character of the Ministerial proposition for a bill is disclosed by the process of reunion. The Cabinet must now take the onus of Mr. Want's opinion so often expressed by him against federation under any terms. The Cabinet ought to agree with him that a man would almost be justified in committing murder in order to prevent federation taking place. It ought to agree with him that a man is justified 'as a political dodge' in pretending to have federal sympathies. If the Cabinet does so then the position is intelligible, and Mr. Want clearly thinks it intelligible."

MR. WANT'S REUNION WITH THE MINISTRY.

WHAT FEDERALISTS THINK OF IT.

Despite the statement of the Premier on Thursday evening at Leigh House that the resignation of Mr. J. H. Want was a genuine action on his part, so as to enable him to oppose the Commonwealth Bill untrammelled by any considerations as to what might be the attitude of the Cabinet towards the measure, the prevailing opinion in political circles is that there was a thorough understanding on the matter between those gentlemen. This opinion was expressed on Saturday by Mr. Copeland, M.L.A., the result of a conversation with a "Herald" representative.

"Mr. Want's action in rejoining the Ministry at the present time," observed Mr. Copeland, "will do more than anything else to convince the public that his resignation from the Ministry, on the grounds that he could not be untrammelled in his opposition to the bill, was an absolute sham. It will prove to the public that during the whole of the federal campaign the Government and Mr. Want were hand in glove in the opposition to the bill."

"If that was so patent, where was the necessity for Mr. Want resigning his portfolio?"

"It was a diplomatic move on the part of the Premier. If Mr. Want was defeated in his opposition to the bill then the Government could repudiate any responsibility for his utterances. If, however, he came out on top, then the Cabinet could, as it also opposed the bill, with the exception of Mr. Carruthers, take Mr. Want back again. There is no doubt whatever but that there was a clear understanding that Mr. Want was to fight against the bill in the open, whilst Mr. Reid was to fight it from within, and it from behind."

"Then you do not consider Mr. Reid sincere on the question of federation?"

"No; most emphatically no. Notwithstanding all Mr. Reid's protestations to the contrary, the comedy between him and Mr. Want completely establishes the fact that Mr. Want is, as well as an absolute anti-federalist, and that the sole object of the Premier is to delay the passing of the bill into law so that he might be able to induce the country to give him a new lease of the Treasury benches. The only thing that surprises me is that an intelligent people like those of New South Wales should have been blinded so long by the specious pretences of Mr. Reid on the subject of federation, especially when they know that his previous sudden conversion to federation was merely the purchasing price of the support of freetrade papers that were stanch freetrade mates when he assumed office. Sir Henry Parkes, who was the best judge of politicians it was possible to conceive, rightly estimated the value of Mr. Reid's federal professions when he ventured to predict that when the time arrived that gentleman would be found as enemy in disguise to federation. It is almost certain that the great majority of people in all sections of the community have at last had their eyes opened sufficiently to Mr. Reid's recent tactics that they are not likely to trust the future welfare of the country to the hands at the next general elections."

THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL.

A special meeting of the Executive Council was held at Government House at half-past 10 o'clock on Saturday morning, when Mr. J. H. Want, C.C., the Attorney-General, was sworn in as one of the Ministerial Advisers of the Governor. The fact of Mr. Want rejoining the Cabinet at the present stage of affairs will, it is thought by some politicians, seriously prejudice the Government at the forthcoming elections. The argument put forward by those who take this view is that Mr. Want, in spite of his protestations, is regarded by the public as being such a thoroughgoing provincialist that it must mean that the Cabinet is opposed to any reasonable form of federation. Mr. Want, it is pointed out, is the pupil and ideal descendant, so far as political ideas are concerned, of Sir John Robertson, whose old-time bitterness against the "cabbage garden" of Victoria is still remembered in this colony. It is also remembered that Mr. Want and Mr. Reid have not only been political allies, but intimate friends for many years. Members contend that the anti-federal taint brought into the Cabinet by the two strongest men in it has inevitably infected the whole of the Ministry. On the other hand, they point out that Mr. Barton, Mr. O'Connor, Mr. Lyne, and Mr. Brunker are with Mr. Reid in his ideas of federation, and that Sir Henry Parkes. Members conclude that it was the necessity for having a strong anti-federal representative in the Upper House during the approaching session that has induced the Government to take in Mr. Want at the present stage. But politicians are not alone in their opinions at this latest move on the part of the Government. Many expected that Mr. Want would take Mr. Barton's advice and "wait till the clouds roll by, Johnnie." Mr. Want, however, has not waited. He has joined the Government in the thick of the storm, and the expression of opinion on the part of the general public on Saturday, so far as could be gathered by conversation, was not at all favourable to the arrangement. A typical instance of the comments on Saturday was that of a public servant, who observed to a "Herald" reporter: "I see Mr. Want is back in the Cabinet. That will do them a lot of harm." Another public servant put the matter in this way: "If Mr. Want would only frankly admit that he used to be opposed to federation, but that now he has changed his mind and has come round to the opinion that federation is necessary, we would be able to trust him, but when he tells us that he has always been a federalist, and that it is a wicked libel to say he is against federation—well, we must be permitted to form our own opinion of Mr. Want's sincerity in the matter, especially when, as Mr. Traill has pointed out, he once described federation as 'a hydra-headed monster,' and referred to its 'constitutional beastliness,' and declared that 'whatever the question arose he would meet it with an absolute opposition to any question of federation at all.'"

PROPOSED RIVERINA CONFERENCE.

BERRIGAN, Saturday.

A proposal has been made here and favourably received that a conference of delegates of all the Riverina federation associations should be held in Berrigan at an early date for the purpose of forming a plan of campaign with the view of federation being made the test question at the general elections. Berrigan originated the federation conference held at Corowa in 1894, which had such successful results, and those interested feel justified in endeavouring to organise another meeting to be held to consider the proposal.

THE BISHOP OF GRAFTON AND ARMIDALE ON FEDERATION.

GRAFTON, Sunday.

Speaking at the dedication of a new church at Alumy Creek to-day the Bishop of Grafton and Armidale, referring to federation, said that the principle of self predominated to largely in deciding the question, and the predominating feature appeared to be what individual benefit could be attained rather than the national advantage of the movement.

BYRON BAY, Saturday.

The executive committee of the local federal association has decided to remain in existence till the general election.

CARCOAR, Sunday.

Much satisfaction is expressed amongst the federalists of this electorate at the determination of Messrs. Barton, R. E. O'Connor, Wise, and Bruce Smith to contest electorates at the ensuing general election. Great interest prevails regarding the coming struggle.

EDEN, Saturday.

The public generally appear to regard with satisfaction the prospect of the federation constitution being the main issue at the coming general election.

PAMBULA, Saturday.

A meeting of the Pambula branch of the Federal Association was held in the School of Arts last night. Mr. Mungerford presided, and a resolution was carried by 24 votes to 2 that the Protectionist League still pledged themselves to support Mr. James Morgan as their candidate and sanctioned his placing the federal question as one of the main planks in his platform. Two members reframed from voting. The meeting was of a most enthusiastic nature.

MR. REID SHOULD SPEAK TO SIR GEORGE

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Could you explain to me how it is that Sir George Dibbs, who, I understand, is a salaried Government official, if not a Civil servant, has been allowed of late without remonstrance to do this, and is now intending to be the newly-elected president of the Anti-Bill League to more than dabble in politics?

Is Sir George given quite carte blanche to do that for which another Civil servant would be given the sack? If so, it does not seem quite fair, does it?

Personally, I don't mind, and should be rather glad to see a short Act (like the Dibbs Disability Bill) passed during the approaching short session making an exception in Sir George's favour, because I have a secret admiration for some of his characteristics, and then too—I speak as a federalist—whenever he leads there is sure to be some fun, plus some tours-de-force and finally a crash!

But the mischief is that one doesn't like to feel that the men who ought to see the law respected are truculent, turning a blind eye or winking at or approving a "political dodge." It neither speaks nor augurs well.

I am, &c., GASHMU.

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FREETRADE AND FEDERATION.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—Many young men in New South Wales have formed their political opinions in the past from leaders such as Sir Henry Parkes, G. H. Reid, and E. Pulsford and others, and have frequently followed these men in their speeches, assisted by a series of lectures under the auspices of the Freetrade Association of New South Wales, which have taught us that freetrade was the best policy for New South Wales, and they succeeded, for they urged that the purchasing power would be greater under freetrade than protection, because under a freetrade tariff we should be found an exporting colony, and our goods unmodified than under protection; and although there may have been differences in the past as to who should be leader of the freetrade party, still the press strongly advocated in very strong terms to accept Mr. Reid as leader, and he was elected by a full

MONETARY AND COMMERCIAL.

Saturday Evening.

The little business done on the Sydney Stock Exchange to-day was mostly at rather higher prices. Bank of New South Wales at 35½—an advance of ½. Australian Joint Stock Bank B advance of ½. Australian Joint Stock Bank B advance of 1½d.—an advance of 1½d. A deposits of 1½d the previous quotation, Silverton Tramway 6d, the previous quotation, Silverton Tramway 6d, and Emu Bay Railway 15s paid at 10s. Throughout the week business has been steady, with a generally firm tone. All Government securities remain strong. Bank of New South Wales, after receding to 35, recovered ½. Australian Joint Stock Bank B deposits and interest being done in them. Steam have been steady. Australian Mutual Fire are in request at an advance of 1s. Australian Gaslight have risen 2s, other gas being firm. Tooth's Brewery sprang 5d, and Marshall's 1d, Castlemaine and Wood Brothers' closing rather easier on the week. Colonial Sugar have risen 3s 6d, Permanent Trustee 1d, Shale and Oil 3d, Silverton Tram 1s 6d, Sydney Hydraulic 3d. The closing quotations were:—

Company.	Capital paid up.	Amount of Shares.	Shares paid up.	Last Div. per annum.	Prices. Last Sale.	Buyers.	Sellers.	Yield to Investors.
	£	£	£	P. C.				P.C.
N.S.W. F.	2,488,839	—	—	4	110½	110	—	3½
Do. Act. 1873	550,189	—	—	4	125	—	—	3½
Do. due 1910	—	—	—	3	99½	—	99¾	3½
Do. due 1924	—	—	—	3	—	—	—	3½
Do. due 1930	—	—	—	3	107	105	—	3½
Do. Deb., 1902	300,000	100	—	4	106	105	—	3½
N.S.W. 1903	300,000	—	—	4	106	105	—	3½
G'mnt D., 1923	—	—	—	4	109	108	—	3½
Colonial Sugar	—	—	—	5	112	110	—	3½
Do., 1904	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
BANKS.								
Aust. J. S.	1,167,287	10	7½	—	60	57	70	9½
City	900,000	10	8	4	67½	67	70	9½
New Issue	169,000	10	8	4	62½	60	65	10
Com. of A. pref.	2,117,070	10	10	2	72	71	—	5½
Com. of Syd.	1,000,000	25	12½	—	—	23½	24½	4½
N.S. Wales	1,800,000	20	20	8	35½	35	35½	5½
Union	1,000,000	75	25	5	25½	25¼	26	4½
Universal	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
A. J. S. Bank	—	—	—	3	14½	14¾	15	4
Do. A	—	—	—	3	14½	14	14¼	6½
Do. B	—	—	—	2½	11½	11½	11¾	6½
Ditto New	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
INSURANCE.								
Albury	7,500	1	12s 6	15	—	15/	18/	6½
Australian	681,776	6	6	8	17½	17½	17¾	6½
Goulburn	50,000	5	1	10	—	—	—	6½
Liverpool	8,000	1	1	25	—	—	—	—
Manly	5,000	1	10/	2	20	20/2	—	—
Ditto, New	5,000	1	10/	2	—	20/	—	—
Mutual	80,000	1	1	5	—	14/	18/	—
Newcastle	25,125	2	2	10%	5%	5%	—	4½
North Shore	80,000	5	2	10	2/	1/6	—	4½
Ditto, New	50,000	1	10/	6	2/	1/6	—	4½
Reinsurance.								
Albury	21,000	1	10	5	—	4/6	7/	—
Australian	40,000	1	1	5	—	—	—	—
Australian and Casl'n	96,000	1	1	10	4/3	6/	—	—
Weed Press	250,000	1	1	4	14/6	14/	14/6	6½
Marshall's	29,701	10	5	6	5%	5%	5½	6½
Perkins'	58,335	15	15	12½	25/1	24/6	—	6½
Tooth's	800,000	1	1	7	25/6	25/3	25/6	6½
MISCELLANEOUS.								
Aarons'	17,500	15	10/	8	9/9	—	—	—
Aust. News	40,000	1	1	10	3/	2/6	3/6	6½
B. J. W. Steam	100,000	1	1	10	10/11	9/7	10/	6½
Burns, Philp	250,000	1	1	8	9/3	—	—	6½
Ditto	17,500	5	5	8	5/6	5/	5/6	6½
Cent. Sugar	1,750,000	20	20	10	20/6	20	20/1	6½
Dalgety Co.	1,000,000	20	8	8	5	—	—	6½
Ewen B. R'wy	100,000	1	1	8	—	—	—	—
Ditto	150,000	1	1	8	—	—	—	—
Emu Gravel	34,000	1	1	2½	—	—	—	—
Fresh Fd. Ice	161,915	1	1s	8	20/10	20/2	21	7½
Harrison's	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ditto, Pfd.	50,000	1	1	8	—	—	—	—
Ditto	50,000	1	10/	10	11	—	—	—
Meth. Trans.	400,000	1	10/	12	18/	—	—	—
Mort. Finance	75,000	1	10	30	35/6	30/6	35/6	6½
Perm. Trustee	25,000	5	2½	5	2	2½	2½	—
Prop. Trust	25,000	10	5	6	7	7/8	8	4
Scot's Dock	150,000	1	1	—	—	—	—	—
Richardson and Wrench	60,000	1	1	3	7/9	7/6	8/3	6½
Shale and Oil	75,000	1	1	5	3/6	3/3	3/6	6½
Silv. Tram	197,806	1	10	6	6/4	6/2	6/6	6½
Syd. Exch.	70,000	10	10	7	14½	14½	15	4½
Syd. Hydraulic	75,000	1	10	20	25/3	24/6	25/3	6½
Tarpaulin Land & Bg.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Hayward's D.	—	—	—	15	3	—	—	12/
Fed. Hill	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	10/
Inland. Prov.	80,000	20	20	6	20	19	21	—
Intercolonial	53,000	1	10/	10	12/6	11/	—	—
Kendal Dep.	—	—	—	—	7/6	7/6	—	—
Last Sub.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Last Sub. D.	—	—	—	—	—	7/6	10/	—
Sy. Free. Land.	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Ditto, Deferred	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—

* Where the dividends are interim, the yield is based on last distributions; otherwise on the last half-yearly one.

Business in most branches of trade has lapsed into a condition of dulness, though there is nothing remarkable in this in the middle of June, before stocktaking and the close of the half-year. But since the country has been favoured with good rains, in most parts quite sufficient for requirements for a little while to come, there is a decidedly more cheerful outlook. With a good season ahead industry and trade in all directions cannot fail to respond. The steady improvement in progress for years past can hardly fail to be accelerated by better seasons. And the result will be sure the less satisfactory because the prospects of our neighbours in Victoria and South Australia have been greatly improved by the best rainfall they have had for two years past. Meantime, though exports of gold have been large, monetary accommodation is still sufficiently abundant at low rates.

Bank deposit rates are as follows:—For 12 months, 3 per cent.; 6 months, 1½ per cent. Discount rates are:—For three months' bills, 5 to 5½ per cent.; four months' bills, 5½ to 6½ per cent.; overdrafts, 6 to 7 per cent.

The banks hold by the London Exchange rates quoted last week as follows:—

	Buying.	Selling.
On demand	Par	2½s premium
30 days' sight	Par	2½s 6d premium
60 days' sight	Par	1½s premium
90 days' sight	2s 6d discount	Par

The rates for colonial and intercolonial exchanges are as follow:—On New South Wales, 2s per cent.; Broken Hill and Wilcannia, ½ on Queensland, as far north as Rockhampton, ½; Townsville, ¾; north of Townsville, 1; Victoria, ¼; Tasmania and South Australia, ½; Western Australia—Perth and Fremantle, ½; Cue, Coolgardie, Kalgoorlie, Kanowna, Day Dawn, and Roebourne, 1½; other parts of Western Australia, 1. New Zealand, ½ per cent.

The Queensland National Bank, Limited report the receipt this morning from Queensland, per steamer Leura, of 8150oz. 18dwt. 23gr. of gold bullion, valued at about £32,100, from Mount Morgan.

Although advices left no doubt that a loan would easily be raised in the United States to carry on the war, the banks even offering to furnish the money, the subscription of the amount required, £40,000,000, three times over shows how the Government have the support of the people. The loan was to be made a popular one, and the result has proved the patriotism as well as the wealth of the people. Money is more than usually abundant in the United States at the present time, and those who have it offered it freely to the Government to meet the public necessities. At the same time news comes that the Bank of Spain has placed the modest sum of £1,100,000 at the service of the Spanish Government for a war fund. Since the expenditure in the Cuban war prior to the intervention of the United States was £1,000,000 per month, the addition to the country's resources now made can hardly be regarded as more than a stop-gap that will melt away in a few days. The present advance of £1,100,000 by the Bank of Spain is only one of many which have been made. At the beginning of May it advanced about £2,000,000. The total holding of silver in the bank was then reduced to about £7,000,000, and of gold and silver combined to less than £17,000,000, or less than £250,000 above the one-third of the total note circulation required by law. As the bank had asked permission to increase its note issue to about £100,000,000, where the actual circulation was but little more than £51,000,000, it seemed as if the Government intended to make good use of the printing press to meet the purposes of the war. And it also threatened the early suspension of specie payments, as with a larger amount of notes in circulation the run upon the cash of the bank was imminent. As we have learnt by cable message since, the run on the banks did increase, and caused the Government to buy silver largely and to prohibit its export, and the mints coined silver at the rate of £37,000 daily.

IMPORT MARKET.

All things considered business cannot be said to be duller than is usual at this period of the year. Stocktaking is having its effect, and the tendency of many lines towards easier prices naturally does not tend to induce speculative activity. Clearing-up auctions of teas preparatory to the opening of the new season have been held with a fair measure of success, and further sales of a similar character are to follow. Although the new campaign sugar has come forward in small quantities, the opening of the season will for obvious reasons be postponed until the 1st of next month. Candles ruled very firm at full rates. Dried fruits have been take up largely for July delivery; and liquors met with a very fair share of attention. Metallic goods were not generally very active, nor did much excitement prevail in jute. With the exception of castor, oils remained quiet; and keen competition is still the feature of the chemical market.

The customs revenue received at Sydney to-day amounted to £1507. The principal items were:—Spirits, £943; wine, £72; tobacco, cigars, and cigarettes, £137; sugar and molasses, £212; opium, £24; harbour and light rates, £18; pilotage, £44; harbour dues, £16; excise on beer, £21. Total, £1507.

EXPORT MARKET.

London Sheepskins Market.—The following private cables have been received regarding the London sheepskins market:—

By the New Zealand Loan and Mercantile Agency Company, Limited.—The sales closed this day with prices for merino and fine crossbred rulings in sellers' favour. Coarse crossbred market easier.

By Harrison, Jones, and Devlin, Limited, from Messrs. Sanderson, Murray, and Co.—Sheepskins market advanced an eighth; crossbred coarse market declined a shilling.

By Dalgety and Co., Limited.—The market is firm with rather dearer prices for merinos. For other descriptions values are unchanged.

London Frozen Meat Market.—According to our cable message 12-day frozen beef has sustained a stiff decline in London, ranging from ½d to 5-16d per lb. Lamb has also raised 1-16d, but mutton shows no change.

Wool Receipts.—At Darling Harbour on Saturday 75 bales of wool were manifested, and 510 arrived coastwise.

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FROZEN MEAT MARKET.

The following are the official quotations of the Frozen Meat Trade Association. The basis of quotations is sales of lines of not less than 100 carcases of mutton or lamb or 100 quarters of beef. All the quotations for mutton are for fair average quality. The quotations for New Zealand and Australian lamb do not include sales of small lambs or heavies of inferior quality:—

MUTTON.

Australian.—Prime heavy quoted unchanged at 2½d; light ditto, unchanged at 2½d.

New Zealand.—Crossbred wethers and maiden ewes: Canterbury, 1-16d higher at 3 13-16d; Dunedin and Southland, ¼d higher at 3¾d; North Island, 1-16d higher at 2½d.

Plate.—Prime heavy, unchanged at 2½d; ditto light, unchanged at 2¼d.

BEEF.

Australian.—Prime ox fores, 5-16d lower at 1½d; prime ox hinds, ¼d lower at 2 9-16d; secondary hinds, ¼d lower at 2 5-16d; secondary fores, 5-16d lower at 1 11-16d per lb.

LAMB.

New Zealand.—Prime Canterbury, 1-16d higher at 4½d; fair average, including Dunedin, Southland, Wellington, and secondary Canterbury, 1-16d lower at 4 1-16d per lb.

SHEEPSKINS.

A small supply was forward at the periodical sales of sheepskins. The bulk of the merinos and fine crossbred sorts showed ¼d advance.

SPELTER.

Spelter is quoted at £19½ per ton in London, being an advance of ½.

WHEAT.

The wheat market is still dull, and a further decline of 1s per quarter has taken place.

COMMERCIAL TELEGRAMS.

ADELAIDE, Sunday.

The influence of the holiday was felt in the local wheat market on Saturday morning. Trade was very slow, with no likelihood of improving for a few days. Values are about as follows:—Wheat, as farmers' lots Port Adelaide, Flour, £11 10s to £12 per ton. Bran, 11d. Pollard, 1s 1d. Oats, New Zealand, 1s 6d to 1s 7d. Victorian, white, 1s 5d to 3s 6d; dun and Algerian, 2s 4d to 2s 6d. Chaff, £2 10s to £2 15s per short ton. Potatoes, Mount Gambier, £9 to £9 5s; imported, £9 10s to £9 15s.

MELBOURNE, Sunday.

There was a fair extent of business on the Stock Exchange on Saturday. Commercial Bank, preferential, sold at 71s, 71s 6d; Commercial Bank Deposit Receipts, 18s 3d; Broken Hill Water Supply, 21s.

The wheat market is quiet, prime being quoted nominally at 3s 11d, 4s. Algerian oats quoted at 1s 10d, 2s for milling; 1s 6d, 1s 9d for thin to good; feed stout white oats worth 2s 5d. New maize steady at 2s 4d, 2s 4½d. Chaff quiet at £2 15s, £3. Potatoes firm at £7 10s, £7 15s; extra prime, £7 17s 6d; prime £7, £7 10s.

PRODUCE INWARDS.

BYRON BAY, Saturday.

The Excelsior left Byron Bay to-night with five passengers and the following cargo for Sydney:—55,000ft. of pine, 10,000ft. of beech, 10 tons of butter, 390 sides of bacon, a case of smoked pigs' jowls, 2 bags of jowls, 1 bag of pigs' feet, 10 bags of bottles and sundries, 8cwt. of lard, 8 live pigs.

EDEN, Saturday.

The steamer Allowrie took this morning for Sydney 196 bags of wattle bark, 4 boxes of butter, 35 live pigs.

The steamer Taieri left this afternoon, taking 295 live sheep for Devonport, Tasmania.

DAIRYING INDUSTRY.

GOULBURN, Saturday.

Taralga Butter Factory for the week received 6500 gallons of milk, yielding about 3900lb. of butter. Suppliers were paid between 6d and 7d per gallon.

BOWRAL, Saturday.

For the month of May the Berrima Dairy Company treated 6054 gallons of milk, suppliers being paid 1s 1d per lb. for butter fat, equal to 6d per gallon of milk.

For the same period Wilds Meadow and Yarrunga Dairy Company paid suppliers an average of 5¾d per gallon, after distributing nearly £50 in dividends.

PRODUCE MARKETS.—Saturday.

TRADE IN SUSSEX-STREET.

Nothing of importance transpired in general produce on Saturday, business being quiet, and prices without appreciable alteration.

MEAT MARKET.

Messrs. Tompson, Manning, and Jeffreys.—Beef: Fairly good supply; trade brisk, and the tone of the market firmer. Prime bullocks, 2½d; bullocks, 2½ fores, 1¾d; second quality bullocks, 1¾d to 1¾d; heifers, 1¾d; cows, 1¾d; medium bodies, 1½d; inside, 1¼d. Lamb: Moderate supplies short, and prices ruled firm towards the end of the week. Prime wethers, 1¾d; second quality, 1½d; prime ewes, 1½d; second quality, 1¼d; medium quality, 1d. Pork: Prime baby pigs, 2½d to 2¾d per lb.; prime baconers, 4d; heavy and fat, 3½d to 3¾d. Veal: Prime small calves, 2d; heavier sorts, 1¾d; second quality, 1½d to 1¾d. Lambs: Prime, 6s each; second quality, 5s to 5s 6d each.

CHURCH NEWS.

Yesterday afternoon Mrs. Harrison Lee, the well-known temperance reformer, under the auspices of the local W.C.T.U., held a special evangelistic service in the Ashfield Hall, there being a good attendance.

The eighth anniversary of the Balmain Wesleyan Central Mission was celebrated yesterday and practically every way of a successful character. The morning service was presided over by Rev. P. J. Stephen (Chippendale), and in the afternoon the building was crowded on the occasion of a demonstration, in which the proceedings were under the guidance of Rev. Joseph Woodhouse (Glebe Wesleyan), who gave an interesting discourse. In the evening the Rev. J. A. Nolan (minister of the charge) presided over the service.

The devotions of the "Quarant Ore," begun last Friday in the Sacred Heart Church, were brought to a conclusion yesterday with the singing of Haydn's No. 4 Mass by a full choir. The Rev. J. Miles Curran, F.C.S., officiated, assisted by the Revs. M. Malone, T. Phelan, and J. R. Kenny.

ABSTRACT OF SALES BY AUCTION THIS DAY.

LAND AND HOUSES.

WATKIN and WATKIN.—At the Rooms, at 11.30, Land and Houses.

FURNITURE AND MERCHANDISE.

A. G. JAMES and SON.—At premises, next Boundary-street, at 10, Furniture, &c.

C. P. W. LLOYD.—At Maddock and Co.'s Rooms, Clarence-street, at 11, Furniture, &c.

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A. TRAVERSI and CO.—At their Rooms, at 11, Canaries, Ladies' Cases, Drapery, Haberdashery, &c.

J. H. AWDRY.—At the Rooms, at 2.30, Canaries, Aviaries, &c.

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A. MITCHELL.—At 101 Annandale-street, Annandale, at 10.30, Furniture, &c.; at Marriott-street, near Crown-street Terminus, at 11.30, Furniture, &c.; at corner of Fenshurst-street and Marlborough-road, North Willoughby, at 3, Household Furniture, &c.

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J. INGLIS and SON.—At the Bazaar, at 11 and 12, Horses, &c.

A. MITCHELL.—At corner of Fenshurst-street and Marlborough-road, North Willoughby, at 3.30, Horse, Cart, &c.

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NEW GUINEA LAND CONCESSIONS.

FURTHER CORRESPONDENCE.

BRISBANE, Sunday.

Further correspondence on the New Guinea land concessions shows that the draft ordinance was submitted to Lord Lamington for sanction, and that Sir W. Macgregor's covering letter was noted by Sir. H. Nelson, with a recommendation that the sanction be given. On April 9, 1898, Mr. Byrnes sent copies of the ordinance to the Premiers of New South Wales and Victoria, and Sir George Turner acknowledged its receipt. In the later correspondence in a cable from Mr. Lowles to Lord Lamington, dated May 21, appears—"Inform Macgregor everything in order here. Agent prepared to start on receipt of cable from you." Referring to the protests of Mr. Reid and Sir George Turner, Mr. Lowles said,—"If faith is broken now it will have a permanently bad effect against the colony here."

Another letter is from Sir Hugh Nelson to Lord Lamington, December 28,—"I have perused the draft form of agreement signed by Sir William Macgregor as Lieutenant-Governor of New Guinea, and by Sir Somers Vine and Mr. Lowles for and on behalf of the British New Guinea Syndicate, Limited. I see no objection on behalf of the Queensland Government to the agreement being approved of."

The next is from Sir William Macgregor to Lord Lamington on December 31, and gives his reasons for his decision on the agreement. He says that the results, so far, of settling the country by Europeans are disappointingly small. He considers that the principal advantage that would accrue to the colony would be from the improvement of the conditions under which the syndicate would have to expend at least 2s per acre on the land, and one fourth of that sum within the first two years. There was now ready for settlement, and could be prepared for transfer to the company, 25,000 acres of land; and within 12 months from now so much land—probably 100,000 acres—could be offered to the syndicate as would within that time open up employment for many natives from the settled districts, while it would add considerably to the imports and exports of the colony, and bring it probably near to a point at which it would be self-supporting. He says he has by no means lost sight of the fact that the area to be offered to the syndicate is a large one, and that the Government may require probably three or four years to find that amount of available and suitable land. But the larger the area, and the more speedily the land is handed over to the syndicate, so much the greater will be the utilisation of land now lying unproductive, and in like proportion so much the earlier will be the expansion of the trade and revenue of the country. Clearly, therefore, the Government should try to find the land at as early a date as possible. This is further desirable to remove the obstruction to other intending settlers to whom any lands offered to and declined by the syndicate would be open. Selection by the syndicate will not interfere with the opening up of mission or trading stations. The exclusive right to mineral would lead to a thorough examination of the land.

OUR FIJI LETTER.

SUVA, June 8.

Although thus far into June no cool weather has been experienced. This is very unusual, and is interfering with the cane crops. In place of growth being checked, the hot close weather is still forcing the plants, and consequently the density is low. Crushing has been delayed, and will not commence until the 20th instant at Nausori, and later at Navua and Penang. The Rarawai and Labasa mills started on May 24, and good work is being done. The copra and fruit crops look extremely healthy, but the want of a good market is severely felt.

Unfortunately there is much sickness in the group through an epidemic of influenza. Though not so serious as in colder climates, yet the pain is severe, and the prostration is leaving the patients very weak. In Suva about half the population is affected.

A statement of the trade of Fiji for 1897 has been published. In the imports New South Wales figures as £195,561 2s 2d, out of a total of £218,748 4s; but in the exports New Zealand heads the list with £216,355 8s 7d, more than twice as much as New South Wales. This is accounted for by the heavy export of sugar to Auckland. The total value of exports amounted to £431,859 19s 4d.

H.M.S. Porpoise arrived from Sydney on May 10, and H.M.S. Ringdove arrived from Noumea on the 15th. The German warship Bussard arrived from Sydney on the 18th, and sailed for Samoa on the 19th. The two British war ships followed on the 20th to Samoa. News from Apia states that the expected trouble was settled. The German warship Falke arrived on 27th from Samoa, and after coaling sailed for New Guinea on the 29th. The usual formal calls were made at Government House, and returned by the Private Secretary, Mr. R. S. D. Rankine.

The Hon. W. L. Allardyce, Acting Colonial Secretary, who had a serious accident in April, will be at his duties in a week or two. The care and attention received at the Suva Hospital has caused a quick and successful recovery.

Two cadets, Mr. Allardyce, brother of the Colonial Secretary, and Mr. Maxwell, son of the late Governor of the Gold Coast, have arrived from London, and have entered upon their duties in the Fiji Civil Service.

The telephone line has been completed from Suva to Nausori, being the first section of the intended line Suva to Ba. The line is under the control of the Government, the Colonial Sugar Company, and the Union Steamship Company, and is a great convenience. The work was sanctioned by Sir Henry Berkeley, and confirmed by Sir George O'Brien, and the latter has done everything possible to assist in making the new venture a success.

The cable ship Moy, of London, 1544 tons register, arrived at Suva from Calcutta direct on the 1st instant, after a somewhat lengthy voyage of 75 days. Fine weather and calms were experienced, and a complete absence of sickness among the 575 Indian emigrants. One death occurred from ordinary causes, but a birth brought the number landed to the same as the vessel embarked at Calcutta. The coolies are, physically, one of the finest lots yet introduced, and will be distributed over the various sugar estates, mostly going to Nausori and Rarawai. The general cargo consisted of 600 tons of gunnies, rice, dhall, and other coolie requirements. The Moy will return to Calcutta about the 15th instant with 425 time-expired coolies.

Shipping continues dull, though with the opening of the sugar season this month busier times will commence. The steamer Archer arrived from Sydney on May 8 and sailed for the Line Islands on the 9th. The brig Rotumah sailed for the New Hebrides and Solomon Islands on May 8 with a full complement of time-expired Polynesians. Previous to embarking the natives held a farewell service in the Church of England, and one of their number preached a most impressive sermon. This is a great change, as some years ago fighting and immorality seemed the height of their ambition, while to-day their aim seems to be to return and better their fellow tribesmen on their own islands. The Rev. J. Francis Jones, of Suva, now on a visit to England, is entitled to the credit for the marvellous change.

The regular steamers have arrived and sailed, taking away large quantities of fruit and copra. Most of the fruit goes to New Zealand, where prices are better than in Sydney.

His Honor the Chief Justice, Sir Henry Berkeley, Kt., returned from Wellington by the Miowera on the 2nd instant. His Honor has quite recovered from his serious illness, and took the Civil Sessions on the 6th instant. Lady Berkeley and family remain in New Zealand.

WHAT IS A GENTLEMAN?

TO THE EDITOR OF THE HERALD.

Sir,—What is a gentleman? is a question proposed in your leader in the "Herald" of to-day. May I give you Thackeray's idea upon the question, to be found in his "Four Georges," at the conclusion of his lecture upon George IV.:—"What is it to be a gentleman? Is it to have lofty aims, to lead a pure life, to keep sound honour virgin, to have the esteem of your fellow-citizens and the love of your friends, to bear good fortune meekly, to suffer with constancy, and through evil or good to maintain truth always? Show me the happy man whose life exhibits these qualities, and him will we salute as gentleman, whatever his rank may be; show me the prince who professes them, and he may be sure of our love and loyalty." I am, &c.,

June 18. S. M. M.

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MINING INTELLIGENCE.

A moderate extent of business was reported in the Mining market on Saturday. Copper shares were quiet, only Girilambone A, and also North Nymagee, having exchange. Amongst silver companies B. H. Proprietary and B. H. South were both quoted at higher figures, whilst buyers of Mount Lyell offered £8 12s, sellers asking £9. Local gold stocks were without any changes of importance. A few Queensland lines had attention, but at the end of the week prices disclosed a somewhat easier tone. Amongst Western Australian lines Associated Gold Mines had a good turnover and closed firmer, as also did Brookman's Boulder, Hannan's Parings, Ivanhoe, and Kalgurli North. Others were without very material alteration.

Business last week was of greater volume, and generally more satisfactory than for some time past. Coal shares were neglected, but prices remained without material change. Silver shares were dull, and manifested a weaker tone. In Queensland gold mining ventures there was several important changes, chiefly on the Oriental line of reef. Amongst Western Australian ventures Associated Gold Mines had a large turnover, and closed at about opening prices. Brookman's Boulder, Kalgurli North, Lake View South, and Kalgurli South, North, Lake View South, and Kalgurli South, North Central (New South Wales), 2d, 2½d, 3d, 3¼d; Overflow, paid up, 1s 10d; B. H. Proprietary, 43s; Mount Lyell (Tasmania), £9 17s 6d, £10, £9 19s 6d; North Mount Lyell, 42s 6d, 39s 6d; Mount Black Proprietary, paid up, 2s 6d; Rocky River, contributing, 2s 5d. Gold: North Oriental and Glanmire (Queensland), contributing, 2s 3d, 2s 9d, 4s 1d, 4s 11d, 4s 9d, 4s 8d; No. 2 North Oriental and Glanmire, 1s 3d, 1s 6d, 1s 8d, 1s 9d, 1s 10d, 1s 11d; Bonnie Dundee, 1s 6d; Band of Hope, paid up, 23s; Columbia Consolidated, 1s 10d, 1s 9d; No. 6 North Phœnix, 3s, 3s; No. 5 North Phœnix, 3s, 6s 2d; Victoria G.M. Association, 7s 7d; No. 1 South Oriental Extended, 4s 6d, 3s 8d; No. 3 South Oriental Extended, 4s 6d, 3s 8d; South Glanmire and Monkland, 28s 6d, 29s 6d, 30s; Boulder Central (Western Australia), 1s 6d, 1s 6d; Hannan's Block 47, 5s 10d, 5s 9d, 5s 10d; Hannan's Pride of the Valley, 1s; ditto, contributing, 4d; Associated Gold Mines, 76s, 76s 6d, 77s 6d, 78s, 78s 6d, 79s 3d, 79s 6d, 77s, 77s 6d, 77s 9d, 76s 9d (on terms, 79s, 80s); 76s, 75s 3d, 76s, 74s 9d, 75s, 75s 3d, 76s, 76s 6d, 76s, 76s 3d, 76s 6d, 75s 3d, 76s, 75s 6d, 75s 9d, 76s 6d, 76s, 76s 3d; Hannan's Parings, 8s 9d, 8s 6d; Kalgurli Gold Mines, £6 8s 9d, £6 8s 3d; Boulder North Extended, 4s 6d, 4s 8d; Lake View South, paid up, 22s 6d, 22s 9d; Kalgurli South, 49s 6d, 50s 6d; Boulder Central Extended, 7d; Brookman's Boulder, 34s, 33s, 34s, 34s 6d, 35s; Kalgoorlie Bank of England, 27s 6d; Queensland Menzies, paid up, 11s 7½d; Mount David, paid up (New South Wales), 4s 10d, 4s 9½d, 4s 9d, 4s 6d, 4s 8d, 4s 6d, 4s 8d; Fulkner's, 5s 10½d, 5s 9d, 5s 8d, 5s 11d, 5s 10d; Peak Hill, paid up, 2s 8d; Cobar Great Western, 3s 3d, 3s 9d, 4s; Star Lead No. 1, paid up, 1s 4½; New Golden Consolidated Victoria, 8s; Prince Dagmar, 6s 7½d; Specimen Hill, 4s 8½d; Hustler's Reef No. 1, 4s 10½d. Copper: North Nymagee (New South Wales), 8d, 8d, 9d, 9¼d, 10d, 11d, 11½d, 1s 1½d, 1s 1d, 1s 1½d, 1s 2d, 1s 3d, 1s 4d, 1s 5d, 1s 6d, 1s 7d, 1s 6½d, 1s 7d, 1s 8d, 1s 9d, 1s 8½d, 1s 7d, 1s 6d, 1s 5d, 1s 4d, 1s 3½d, 1s 4d, 1s 5d, 1s 6d, 1s 7d, 1s 6d, 1s 5d, 1s 4d, 1s 5d, 1s 6d, 1s 8½d, 2s, 2s 2d, 2s 3d, 2s 3½d, 2s 4d, 2s 4½d, 2s 5d, 2s 6½d, 2s 7d, 2s 4d, 2s 4½d, 2s 5d, 2s 3d, 2s 2d; Girilambone, 6s 6d, 7s 6d, 9s 6d, 11s, 10s 6d, 10s 9d, 10s 3d, 10s; Lake George Mines, 4s 3½d.

Sydney Stock Exchange.—The closing quotations were:—

	Buyer.	Seller.
COAL.		
Vale of Clwydd	7/6	8/9
COPPER.		
Girilambone	9/9	10
Ditto, "A"	2/2	2/5
Great Cobar	—	—
Mines	3/9	4/6
Lake George	—	—
Mount Lyell	4d	4½d
Nth. Nymagee	1/4	1/6
SILVER.		
SILVER MINES OF NEW SOUTH WALES.		
Brit'h Broken Hill	8/6	—
Ditto, New	6/6	8/3
Broken Hill Proprietary	£7 10	£8
Junction North	1/4	—
North Central	2½	3½d
B. H. South	9/	10/6
Ditto, con.	1/6	—
Ditto, pref.	—	2/3
Ditto, con.	—	2
Ditto, Tasmania.		
Central Lyell	4d	1/
Mount Lyell 60	—	—
Lyell Thanes 10	—	—
Mount Black Proprietary, paid	1/10	—
Mount Lyell £8 12	£9	—
Rocky River, con.	2/3	—
GOLD.		
New South Wales.		
Baker's Creek	—	1/6
Bonnie Dundee	1/3	—
Bermuda	9d	—
Cobar Great Western	2/9	4/
Ditto, pref.	6/1	8/6
Mount David, paid	4/4	4/8
North Gobrah	—	1/3
North Gobrah, no paid	—	1/
Occidental	—	4
Peak Hill	2/2	2/6
Ditto, paid	—	1/6
Star Lead No. 1, paid	1/	1/4½
Ditto, No. 2, paid	1/	4/6
Victory Forest Reefs	4	4/9
Ditto, New, paid	—	1/6
Ditto, con.	—	5½
Victoria.		
Sebastopol	—	1
Tarlton No. 1	—	10/
Ditto, No. 2	—	1
Star of the East	—	2/6
Queensland.		
Band of Hope	22/6	—
Oriental Consol	1/	—
Glanmire	—	2/5

The following sales were reported:—Before 'Change—Gold: North Oriental and Glanmire, contributing, 4s 8d; No. 2 North Oriental and Glanmire, 4s; Boulder Central, 1s 6d. On 'Change—Copper: Girilambone, "A," 2s 2d; North Nymagee, 1s 6d. Gold: Mount David, paid up, 4s 8d; Columbia Consolidated, 1s 9d; Oriental Extended, 1s 9d, 1s 11d; Lake View South, paid up, 22s 6d, 22s 9d; Kalgurli South, 49s 6d, 50s 6d; Boulder Central Extended, 7d

Funerals.

RIGG.—The FRIENDS of the late Mr. THOMAS STEPHEN JOSEPH RIGG are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, which will move from his late residence, Hawthorn, 29 Hereford-st., Forest Lodge, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.15, for Necropolis.
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AUSTEN.—The Friends of the late Mr. THOMAS AUSTEN, Senior, are kindly invited to attend his Funeral, which will move from his son's residence, 98 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
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AUSTEN.—The Friends of Messrs. GEORGE, JAMES, and HURBEN AUSTEN are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their late dearly beloved FATHER, which will move from his son's residence, 35 Great Buckingham-street, Redfern, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.30, for the Necropolis.
COFFILL and COMPANY, Undertakers and Embalmers, Harris-street, near Redfern railway station.

THE Friends of Mr. JAMES O'DONNELL, son of the late J. O'Donnell (H.M. Customs), are respectfully invited to attend his Funeral; to move from No. 10 Bellevue-hills, Surry Hills, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, to Rookwood Cemetery. W. J. DIXON and CO., 120 Oxford-street; 183 George-street W.

THE Friends of Mrs. ANN O'DONNELL are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of her late beloved SON, James; to move from 10 Bellevue-street, Surry Hills, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, to Rookwood Cemetery.

THE Friends of Mr. JOHN DANIEL MANUS O'DONNELL and Mr. and Mrs. RYLEY are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved BROTHER, James O'Donnell; to move from 10 Bellevue-street, Surry Hills, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at half-past 1 o'clock, to Rookwood Cemetery.

THE Friends of Mr. DAVID CUNNINGHAM are kindly invited to attend his Funeral; to move from his late residence, Marrickville-road, Dulwich Hill, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at 1.45, for the Necropolis, via Newtown station. F. W. HARTLEY, Undertaker, 301 King-street, Newtown. Tel., 184.

HALE.—The Friends of Mr. ROBERT HALE are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his late beloved MOTHER, Mrs. Laura Hale; to move from his residence, 45 Oxford-street, Paddington, THIS (Monday) AFTERNOON, at quarter to 3 o'clock, to Waverley Cemetery.
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116 Oxford-street; and Queen's-cross, Darlinghurst.

KELLY.—The Friends of Mrs. GEORGE KELLY are respectfully requested to attend the Funeral of her dearly beloved HUSBAND; to move from his late residence, Karraba-road, North Sydney, THIS MONDAY, at 3 p.m. sharp, for the Gore Hill Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON,
Undertakers,
69 Walker-street, North Sydney.

KELLY.—The Friends of Mr. and Mrs. T. W. KAVANAGH are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of their late beloved SON, George; to move from the late residence, Karraba-road, North Sydney, for THIS MONDAY, at 3 p.m. sharp, for the Gore Hill Cemetery.
Mrs. P. KIRBY and SON,
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THE Friends of THOMAS KELLY and Mrs. A. GORDON are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of their dearly beloved BROTHER, George Kelly; to move from his late residence, Karraba-road, North Sydney, for Gore Hill Cemetery, TO-DAY, at 3 o'clock.

THE Friends of Mr. ROBERT KELLY are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved BROTHER, George; to move from his late residence, Karraba-road, North Sydney, TO-DAY, at 3 o'clock, for Gore Hill Cemetery.

THE Friends of Mr. WILLIAM CARTER are kindly invited to attend the Funeral of his BROTHER-IN-LAW, George Kelly; to move from his late residence, Karraba-road, North Sydney, THIS DAY, at 3 o'clock, to Gore Hill Cemetery.

THE Friends of Mr. ALFRED JACKSON are respectfully invited to attend the Funeral of his dearly beloved WIFE, Charlotte Elizabeth; to move from the District Hospital, Parramatta, TO-MORROW (Tuesday) MORNING, at 7.30, for Rookwood Cemetery, to reach there at 4 p.m. This lady's maiden name was CHARLOTTE ELIZABETH COCKRILL, late of Fitzroy Falls. METCALFE and WILKINSON, Undertakers and Embalmers, Church-street, Parramatta. Telephone, 36 Parramatta.

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Meetings.

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JOHN NORTON, M.L.A.,
WILL ADDRESS THE ELECTORS,
THIS (MONDAY) EVENING,
at 8 o'clock,
AT KEARY'S HOTEL,
WILLIAM-STREET.
T. SIMCOR, Esq., will PRESIDE.

GIPPS DIVISION.
Mr. W. J. SPRUSON'S COMMITTEE will MEET THIS (Monday) EVENING, at 8 o'clock, at Ryan's Grand Hotel, Cumberland-street. Important Business. All invited to attend.

REDFERN.—FEDERATION.—Electors favourable to Federation are invited to MEET at the Rooms of Alderman Medcalf, J.P., Redfern-street, Redfern, on TUESDAY EVENING at 8.

A MEETING of Public Servants who elected to discontinue contributing to the superannuation Fund under the Public Service Act will be held at Aarons' Exchange Hotel, TO-NIGHT, at 8 o'clock.

THE NEW SOUTH WALES FUEL ECONOMISING COMPANY, Limited.—NOTICE is hereby given that a Special General MEETING will be held at the Office of the Company, 17 Bond-street, Sydney, on THURSDAY, 30th June, 1898, at 4 p.m., for the purpose of confirming or otherwise the following special resolution passed at meeting held June 6th:—
That the last paragraph of clause 79 of the Articles of Association be altered to read as follows:—
"The number of directors thereafter shall not be less than four nor more than six, three of whom shall form a quorum."
ROBERT SAUDINGTON,
Secretary.
Sydney, 20th June, 1898.

THE BALLARAT OF N.S.W. GOLD-MINING COMPANY, No Liability.—An Ordinary General MEETING of the abovenamed Company will be held at Raphael's Hotel, Orange, on TUESDAY EVENING, 28th June, 1898, at 8 o'clock sharp. Business: To Confirm the Minutes of meeting held on 30th ultimo; to consider any business which may properly be brought before the meeting.
An Extraordinary General MEETING of the above-named Company will be held at Raphael's Hotel, Orange, on TUESDAY EVENING, June 28, 1898, at 8.30 o'clock. Business: To Confirm the following special resolutions—
1. That the Rules of the Company be altered. 2. That the Rules and Regulations as drafted by the Company's solicitors, and amended at the last meeting held on 30th ultimo, be the Rules and Regulations of the Company.
H. E. DERFEL,
Legal Manager.
Orange, June 17th, 1898.

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